

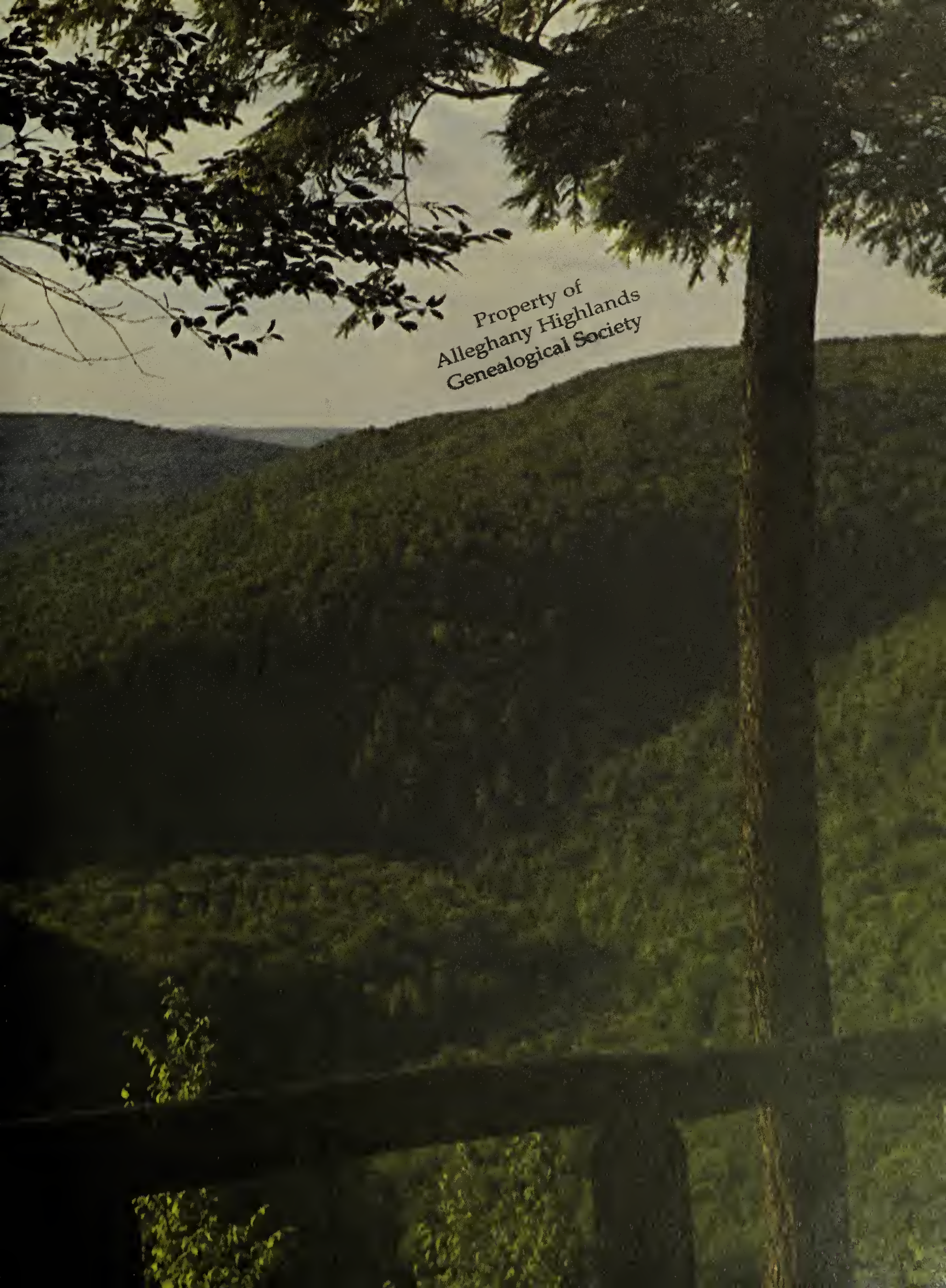
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NINETEEN HUNDRED AND SIXTY FIVE







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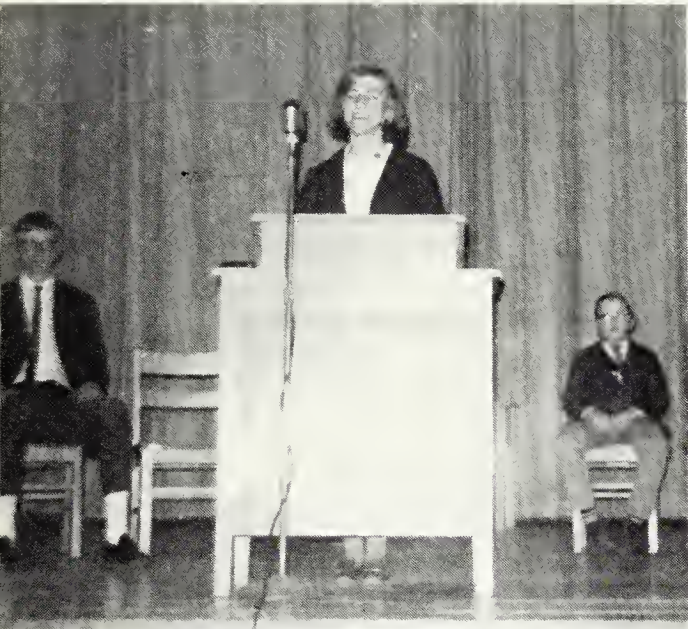
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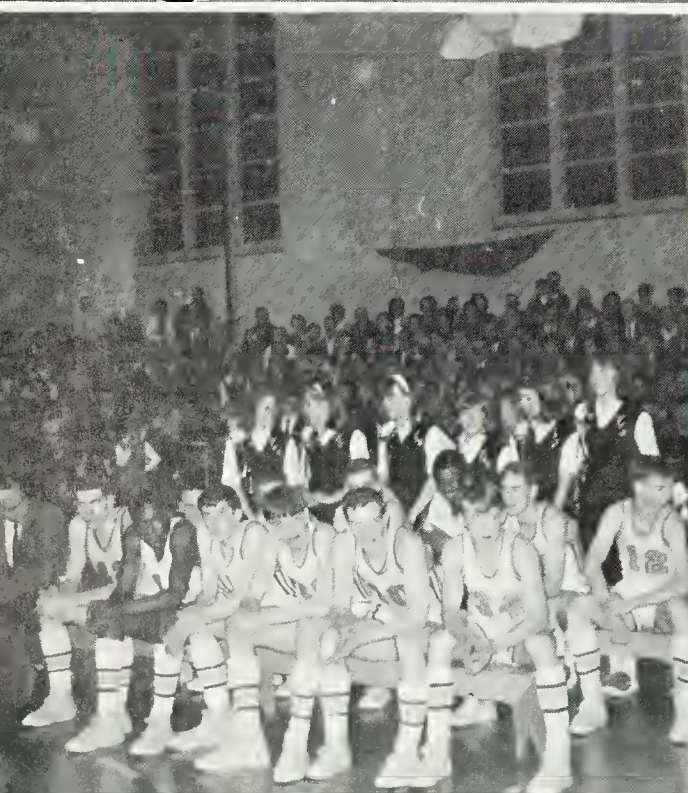


# Foreword

*"I will point ye out the right path of a virtuous and noble Education; laborious indeed at the first ascent, but so smooth, so green, so full of goodly prospect, and melodious sound on every side . . ."* Milton



*The Vallescope presents in pictures the students and faculty of Valley in their "path of a virtuous and noble education" during 1967-68.*







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# *Dedication*

Mr. Charles F. Hileman



The graduating class of 1968 acknowledges the special efforts of Mr. Charles F. Hileman, guidance counselor at Valley High School, by dedicating the 1968 Vallescope to him. From advising schedule changes to assisting with career plans, he has helped to solve many student problems and difficulties.





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Shepard College  
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CHARLES W. CAULEY  
B.S., Bridgewater College  
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R.P.I.  
Sherwood School of Music  
Band



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Remedial Reading



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M.A., Columbia University  
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MRS. LESLIE KING  
School Secretary



MRS. MARIE CLEEK  
Teacher's Aide

## *School Staff*

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School Cooks



MR. BOB JENKINS  
Custodian





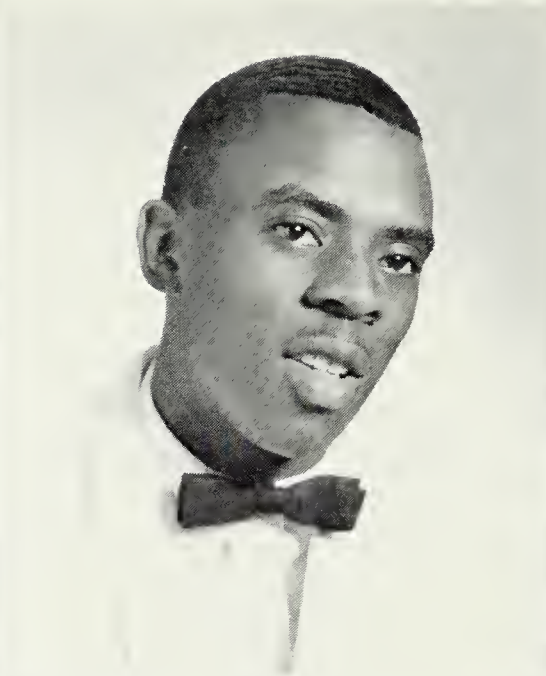


# CLASSES





Shirley Darlene Allen



Samuel Jarman Anderson



Joy Ann Armstrong



Julia Frances Bogan

*Class  
of  
'68*



Jo Ann Brinkley



Sandra Carol Brinkley



Karen Elaine Burns



LaDonna Kay Bussard

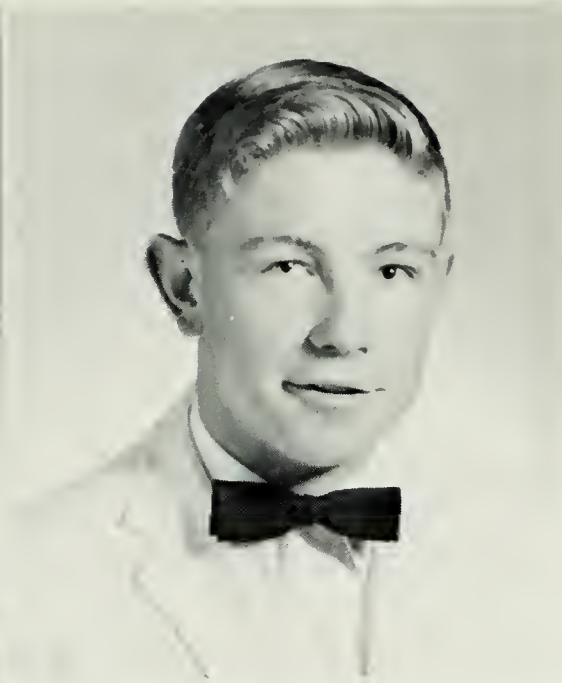




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Emma Mae Chestnut



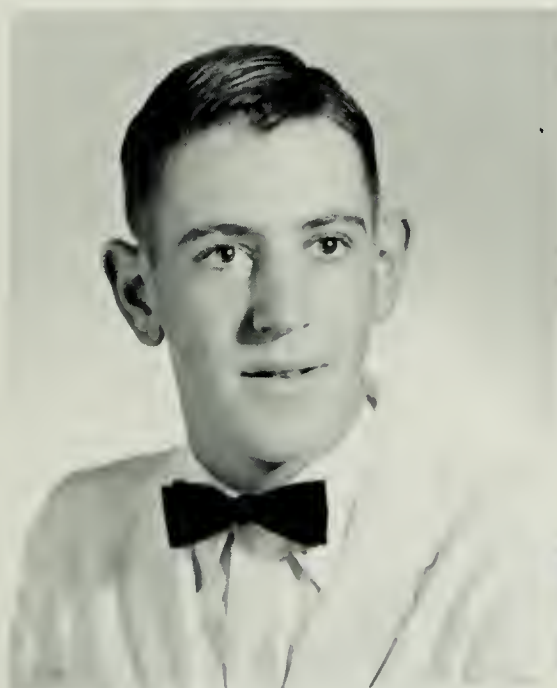
Clyde Vennison Cutlip, Jr.

## *Class History*

As our minds wander back five years, we remember the day we arrived at Valley. Seventy-four excited and confused students roamed through the halls, trying to look nonchalant, but only succeeded in looking bewildered. It took us time to get used to the school and the activities, but soon the clubs and classes were under way. We chose the following as our class officers: Tommy Keyser, president; Karen Burns, vice-president; and Dotty Dean, secretary-treasurer. Kathy Gram was chosen as our homecoming queen candidate, while Mts. Ruth Dalton and Mr. Lester Frank were our eighth-grade sponsors. The big day came on April 10, when we were initiated by the seniors and entertained at



Dotty Lou Dean



Howard Albert George, Jr.

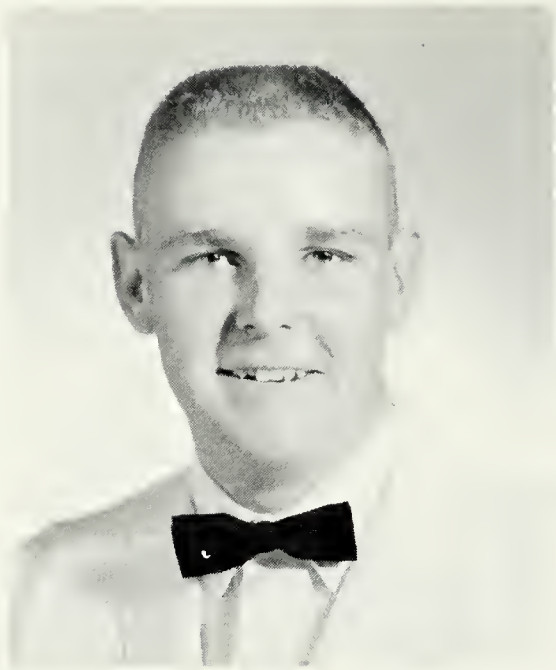


Kathleen Yvonne Gram



John Michael Hill





Darrell Lee Hiner



John Griffin Hudson



Glenda Darlene Jenkins

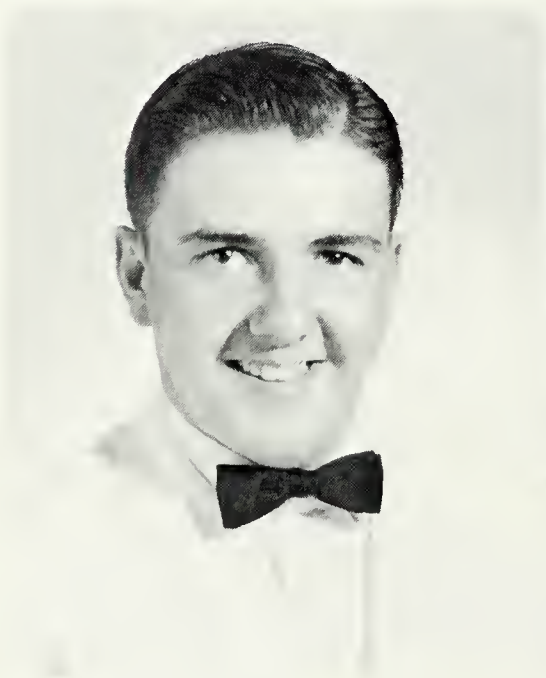


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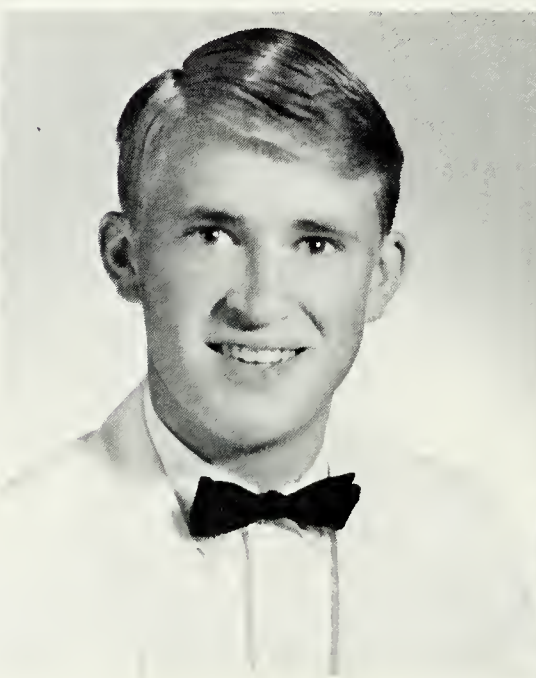
the Sadie Hawkins dance that night.

At the beginning of our freshman year, we elected these class officers: President, Tommy Keyser; Vice-President, Joyce McElwee; and Secretary-Treasurer, Dotty Dean. Kathy Gram and JoAnn Brinkley were elected as freshmen cheerleaders. Joyce McElwee was chosen to represent us in the homecoming queen contest, and Dallas May won the baseball trophy for having the highest batting average of the year. Kathy Gram and Jimmy Trimble were chosen as class favorites, and Miss Jean Lowry and Mrs. Joan Mackey were our class sponsors.

As sophomores, we elected the following class leaders: Jimmy Trim-



David Lohr Kershner



John Bedford Kershner

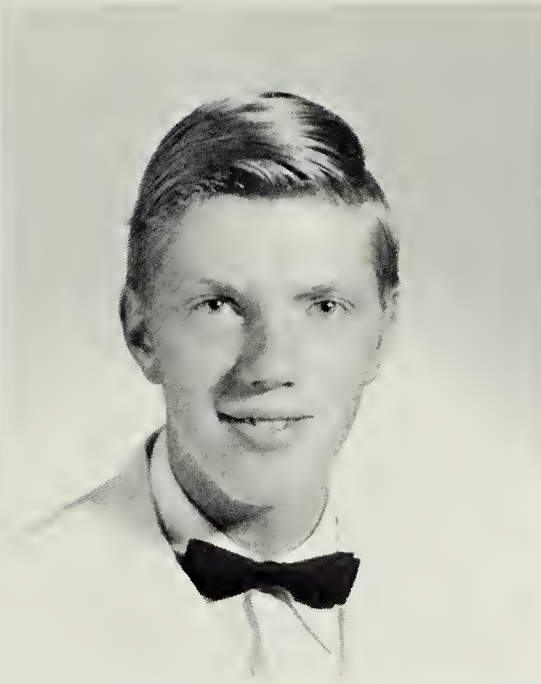


Edna Margo Keyser

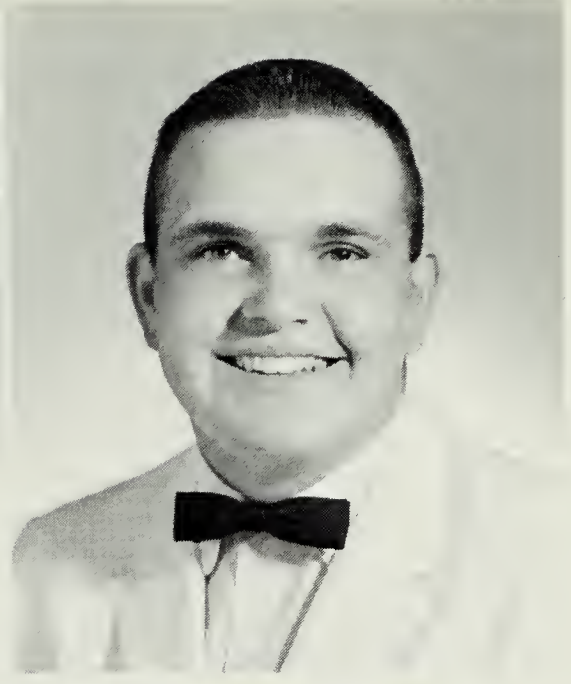




Thomas Mason Keyser



Michael Allen Lester



John Ervin Lockridge

ble, president; Keswick Phillips, vice-president; and Glenda Jenkins, secretary-treasurer. JoAnn Brinkley was our football queen candidate, and Miss Jean Lowry and Mr. Charles Folsom were our sophomore sponsors.

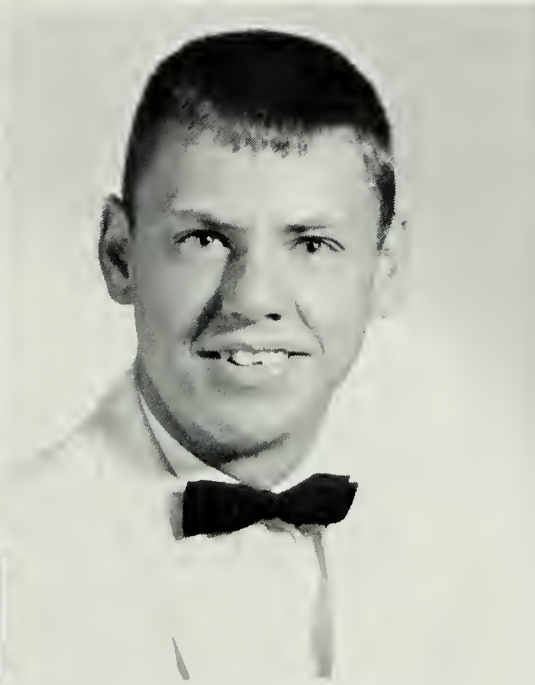
Our junior year began under the leadership of David Kershner, president; Dotty Dean, vice-president; and Glenda Jenkins, secretary-treasurer. Mr. Richard Edwards, Mr. Charles Folsom, and Mr. Leslie King served as junior sponsors. Joyce McElwee was our football queen candidate, and Joe Swadley won second place for Boys' Prose Reading at the State Forensic Meet. JoAnn Brinkley and Joyce McElwee represented Valley at Virginia Girls' State.



L'Vont Smitherman Madison



Joyce Bradley Martin



Michael David Martin



Dallas Walker May





Rodney Charles Miano



Margaret Anntheresa McCollum



James Arnold McComb



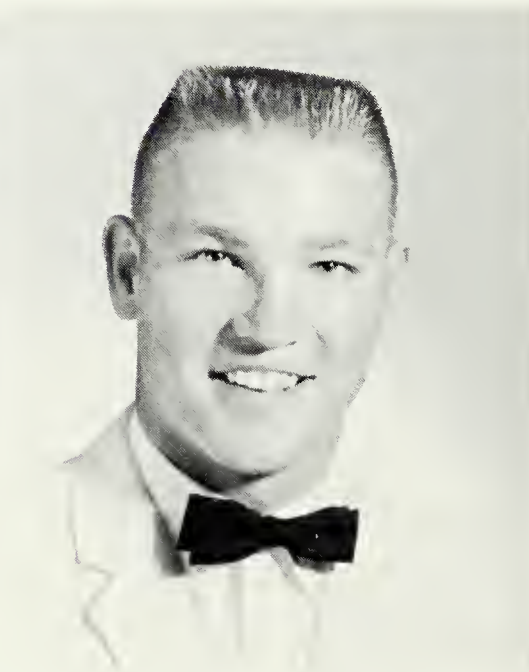
Joyce Lynn McElwee

John Hudson was the delegate to Boys' State. On April 22, we entertained the seniors with a prom entitled "April Love." The arrival of our class rings presented an exciting moment, and we presented the first "Little Miss Bath County" contest. David Kershner and Kathy Gram were chosen as class favorites.

Senior officers were David Kershner, president; Dotty Dean, vice-president; and Glenda Jenkins, secretary-treasurer. Dotty Dean, the senior football candidate, was selected homecoming queen. The seniors sponsored the Holiday Dance, a boys' fashion show, and presented the second "Little Miss Bath County" pageant. Joe Swadley won first place for Prose Reading in the District O Forensic Meet. On April 6, the



Welford Basil McElwee

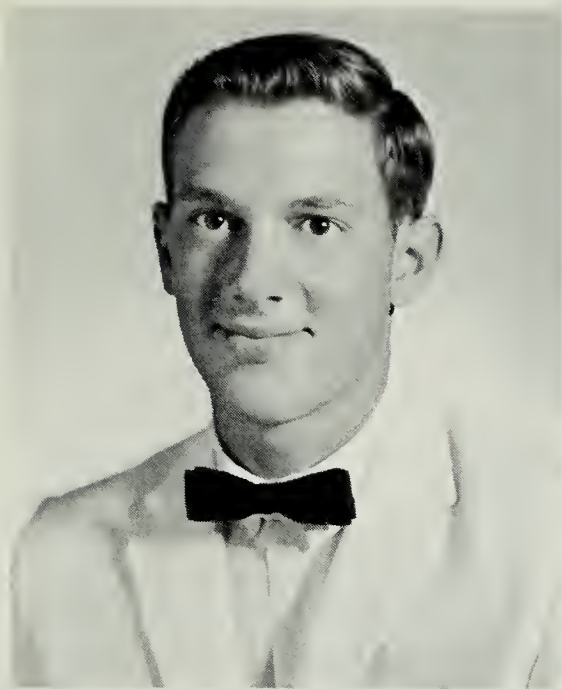


Keswick Darrel Phillips

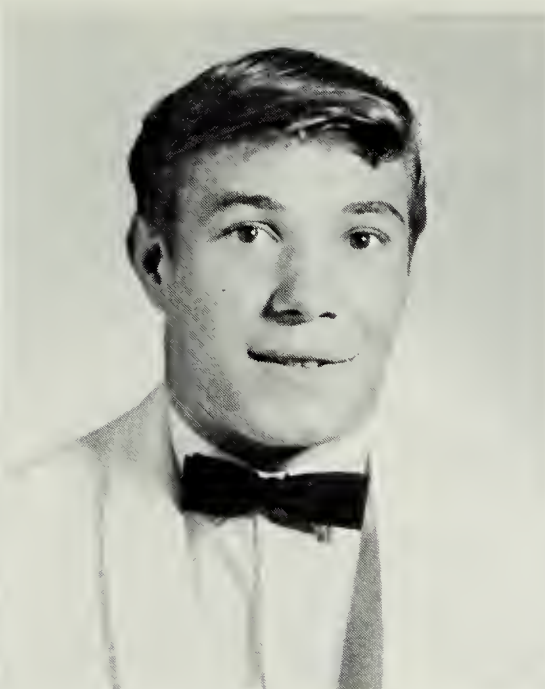


Ray Jay Ryder





Richard Dale Ryder



John Harper Shaffier, Jr.



Tommy Colman Stewart

juniors entertained the seniors at a banquet and prom held at the Homestead entitled "Some Enchanted Evening." Thirty-one seniors enjoyed the trip to New York on April 24-28. Queen Karen Burns and King Basil McElwee reigned over May Day festivities on May 2. Graduation came on June 3, 1968.

#### MOTTO

Only the beginning; not the end.

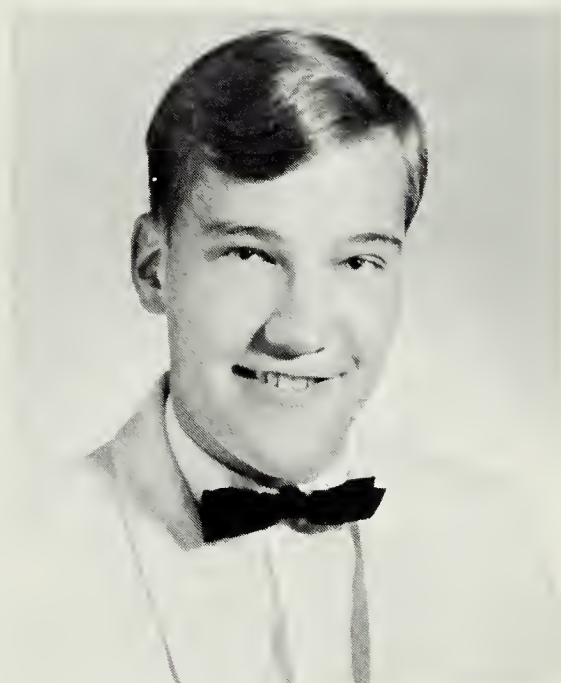
-- Glenda Jenkins

#### FLOWER

Chrysanthemum

#### COLORS

Yellow and White



David Owen Stinespring



Joseph Edward Swadley



Sammy Bernard Tate



Helen Margaret Thomas





CLASS OFFICERS: (l. to r.) D. Dean, vice-president; D. Kershner, president; and G. Jenkins, secretary-treasurer; sponsors, Mrs. Neff and Mr. Grove.



CLASS FAVORITES: Kathy Gram and David Kershner.

#### CLASS MASCOTS



Robert  
Jenkins



Katherine  
McElwee

#### The Twelfth Year

We didn't think we'd make it,  
But here we are at last;  
Waiting to get our diplomas  
And thinking of things gone past.

As we walk the halls of our school  
We think of the memorable years,  
Of the contests, losses, and victories;  
Of all our laughter and tears.

Think of the many remarkable times:  
The ones we've had in school,  
So much fun is to be remembered  
And knowledge was the simple tool.

Our classes are over; our books are closed,  
And now our future we face.  
We have the knowledge to meet our needs  
And to walk in a steady pace.

Now that we won't be walking these halls,  
We find we're not eager to leave,  
We're ready to take what the future will give;  
And endeavor in what we believe.

So to the students that yet remain,  
Keep up the spirit; it's not too late,  
Because these halls will never hear again  
The class of '68.

— Glenda Jenkins



# Senior Superlatives



**MOST STUDIOUS**—Dotty Dean and John Hudson



**BEST ATHLETES**—Joyce McElwee and James McComb



**BEST LOOKING**—Carole Johnson and John Kershner



**MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED**—Glenda Jenkins and Joe Swadley



**BEST DANCERS**—Margaret McCollum and Sammy Anderson



**BEST DRESSED**—Edna Keyser and David Stinespring



**QUIETEST**—Joyce Martin and Tommy Stewart



**BEST SPORTS**—LaDonna Bussard and Johnny Lockridge



**BEST ALL AROUND**—LaDonna Bussard and Dallas May



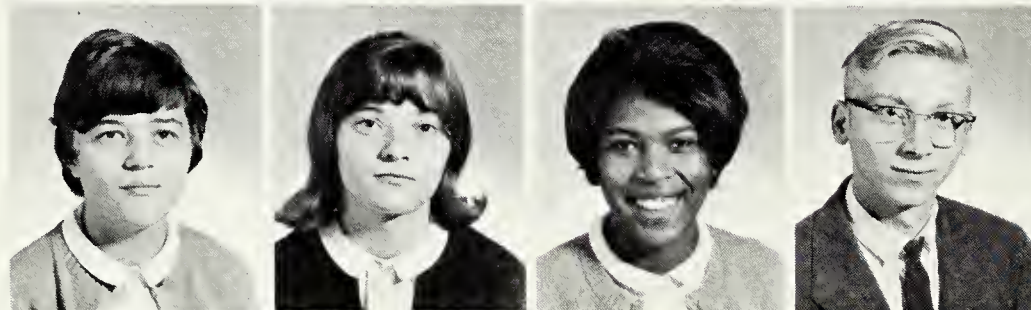
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Drucilla Allen  
Stephen Allen  
David Altizer



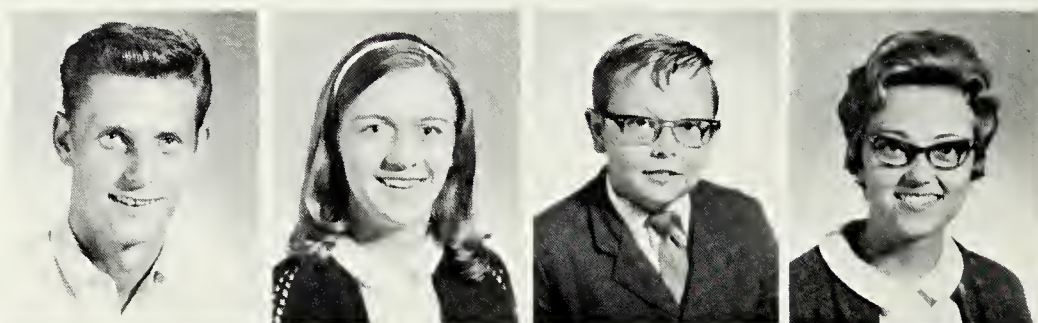
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Linda Buzzard



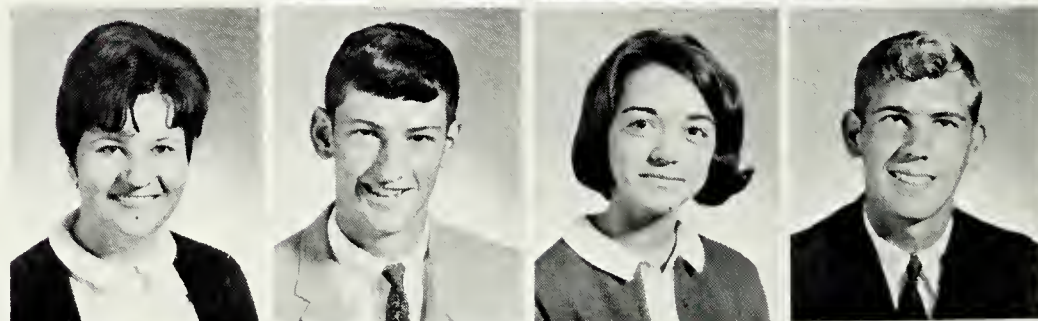
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Ruth Bird  
Shirley Cardwell  
Donnie Carpenter

## *Class of '69*

Eugene Carpenter  
Doris Cauley  
Douglas Combs  
Patricia Copley



Peggy Green  
Robert Green  
Dusty Hill  
Nelson Long



Charlotte Johnson  
Patricia Judy  
Martha Keyes  
Barbara Keyser



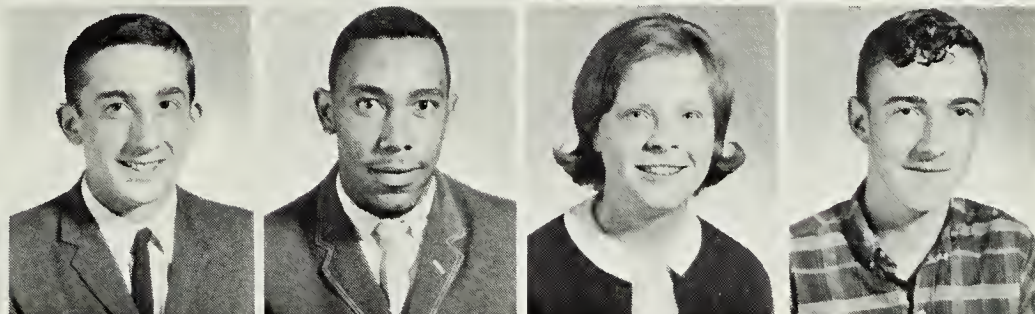


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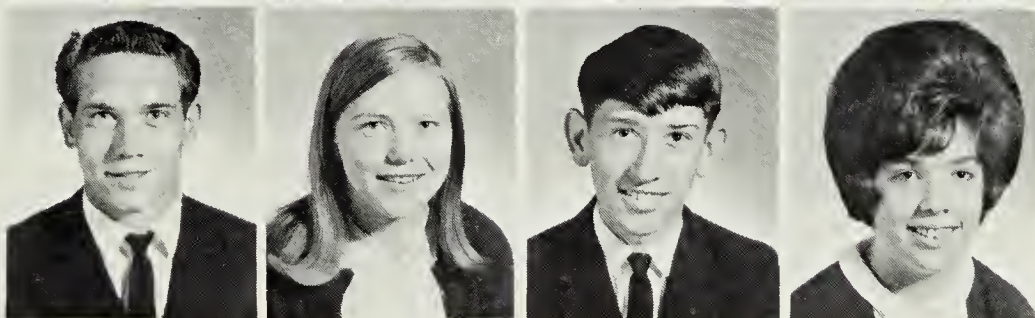
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Gwendolyn May  
Hazel May  
Keith McElwee



Glenn McMullen  
Robert Merchant  
Lynda Neff  
Ronald Neff



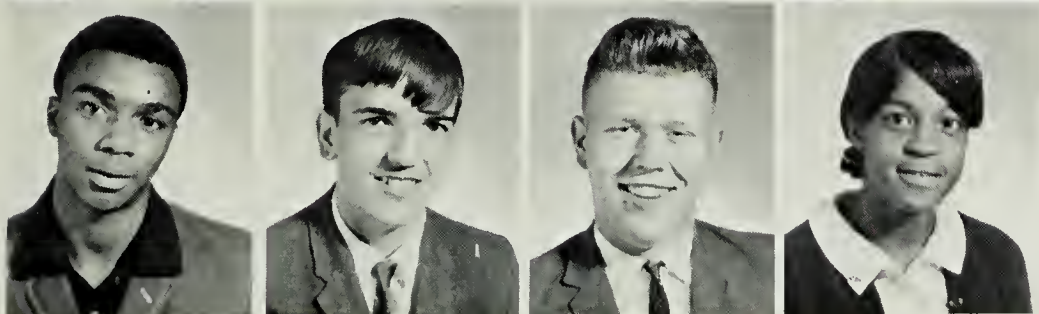
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Linda Rexrode  
Davis Rodgers  
Patricia Rucker



## *Class of '69*



Karen Saunders  
Sharon Sharp  
Jeannette Shifflett  
Elwood Smith



William Smith  
John Strasser  
David Thomas  
Sandra Turner

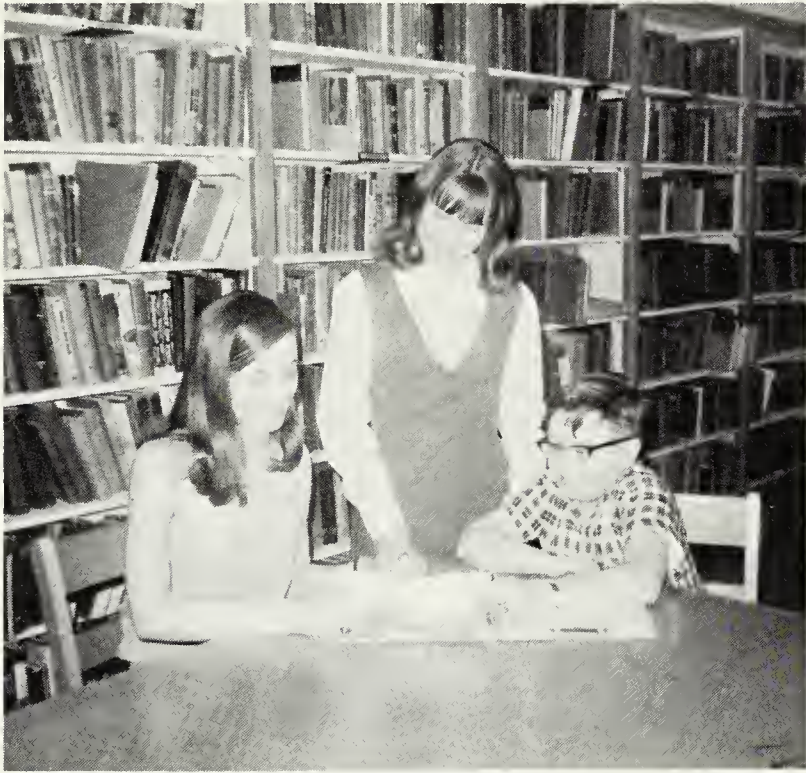


Nell Warwick  
Mary Vance  
Danny Wooddell



# Donna and Glenn Are Class Favorites

## CLASS OFFICERS



Ruth Bird, Secretary-Treasurer; Linda Lester, President; Doug Combs, Vice-President.

## CLASS FAVORITES



Donna Bussard and Glenn McMullen

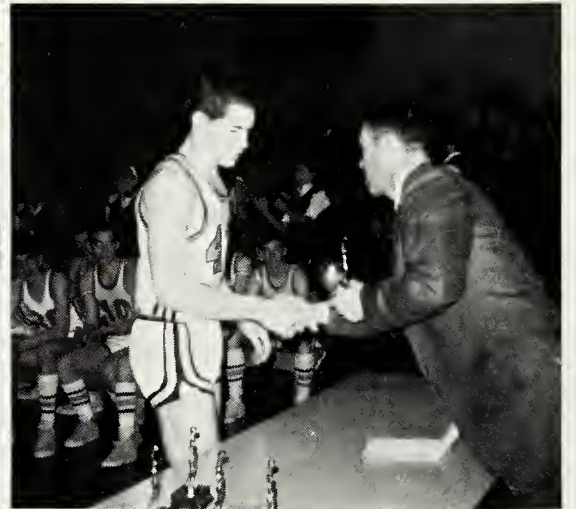
## Snapshots of Junior Activities



College Day



At the Games



District Champions



Princess Dusty, Prince Keith



Jesters Judy and Linda

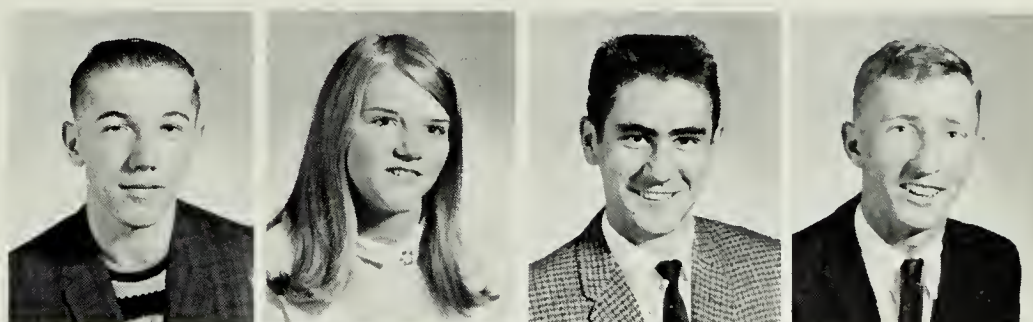


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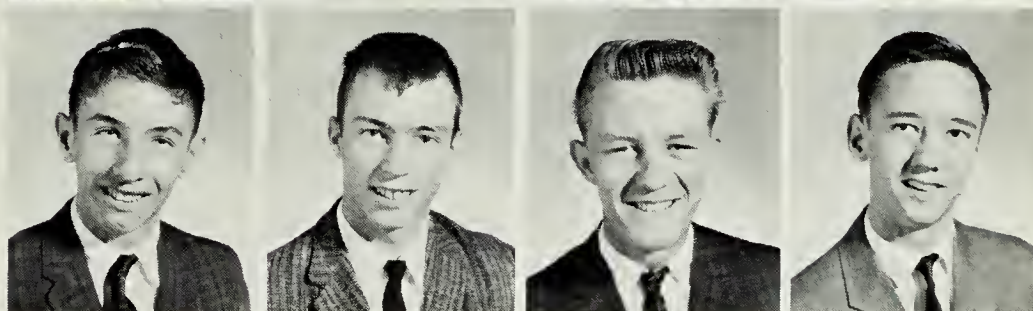


# *Randy and Willie Lead Sophomores*

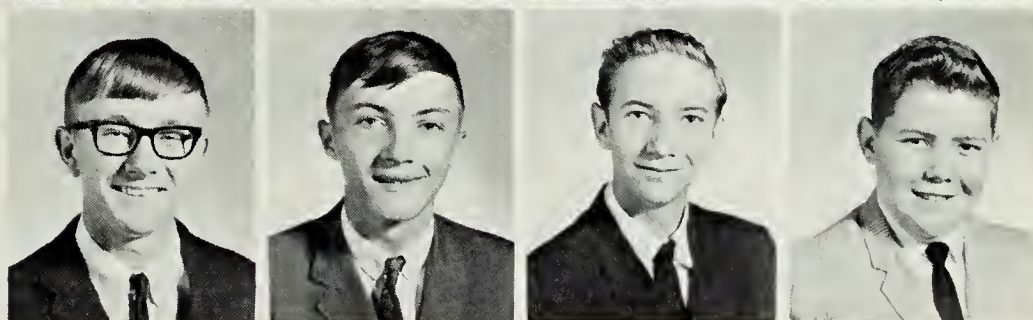
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Monte Buzzard



David Cauley  
Eric Chaplin  
John Dean  
Ted Dickerson



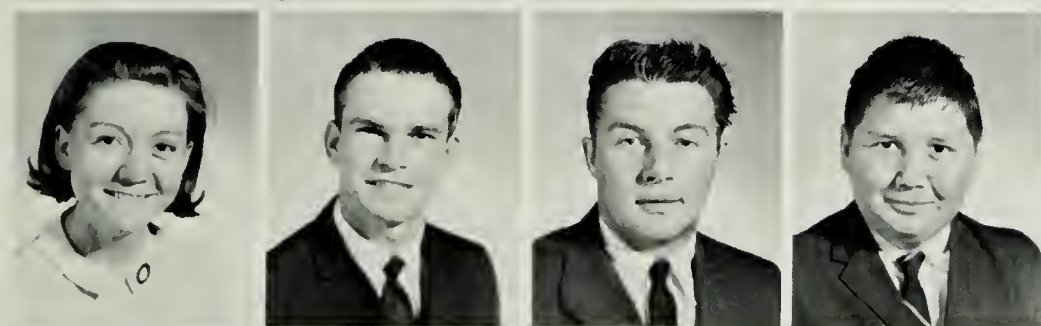
Robert Fertig  
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Jackie Green  
William Jenkins



## *Class of '70*



Margaret Keyes  
Karen Keyser  
Betty LaRue  
Paula Law



Martha Layman  
Robert Lockridge  
Lonnie Martin  
Richard Martin



Carol McManamay  
Rocky Philips  
Sharon Puffenbarger  
Allen Rodgers



# *Wanda is Elected Queen Candidate*



Ella Ryder  
Judy Ryder  
Brenda Sensabaugh  
Jerry Shifflett

Randy Smith  
David Snyder  
Rayvon Tate  
Wanda Winebriner

Eddie Williams  
Kenny Woodzell  
Clifford Williams  
Danny Wooddell

## *Class Officers*



President, Randy Smith; vice-president, William Jenkins;  
and secretary-treasurer, Brenda Sensabaugh.

## *Class Favorites*



Paula Law and Robert Fertig



# *Gail and Donnie Lead Class*

Jane Agner  
Lynda Agner  
Donald Altizer  
Lynn Bird



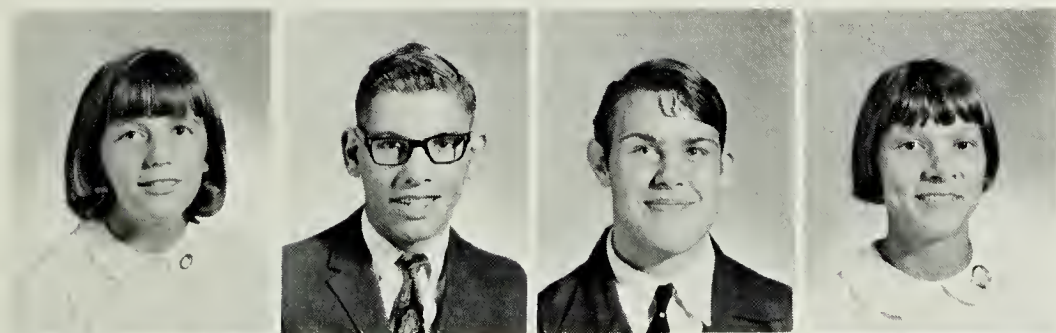
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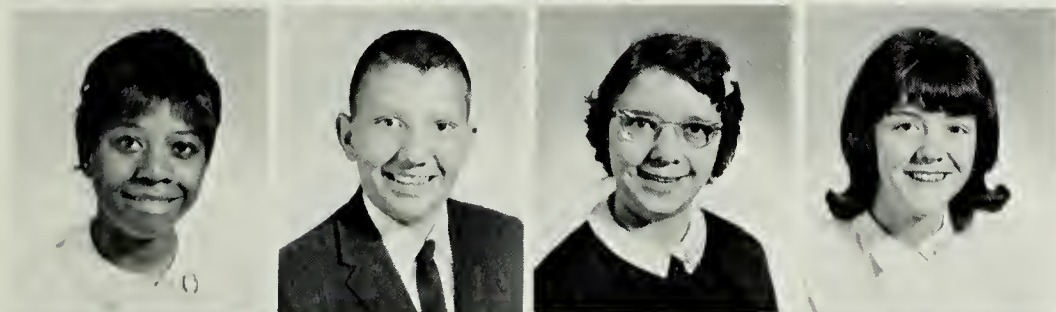
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## *Class of '71*



Becky Fry  
Billy George  
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Sally Guerrero



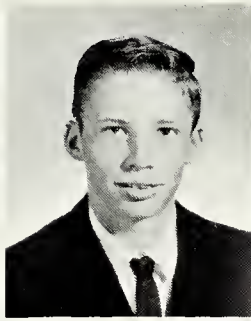
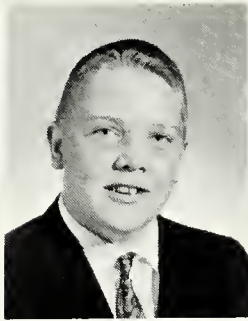
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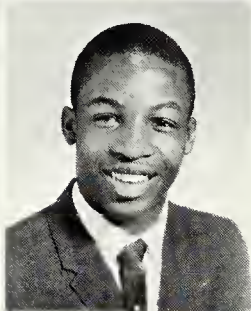
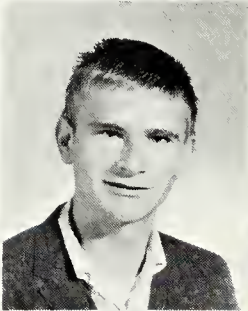
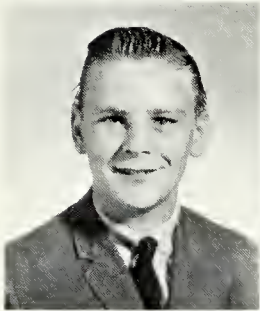
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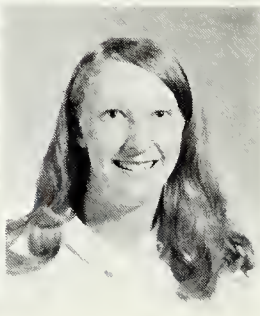
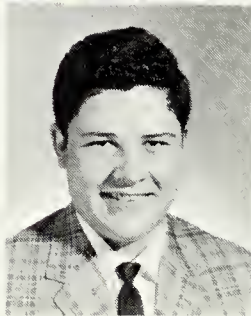
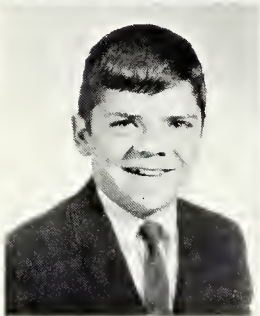
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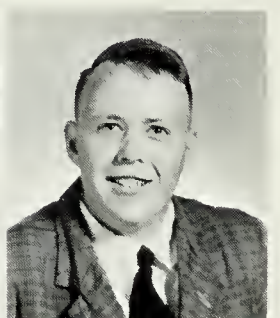
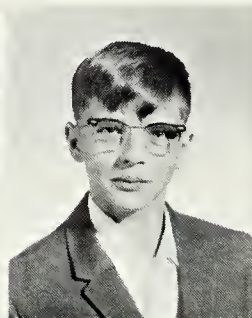
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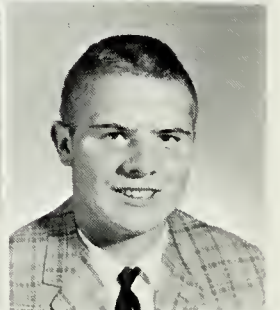
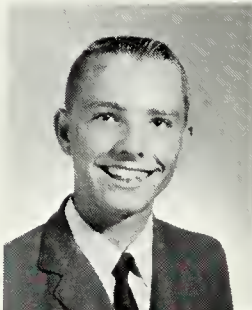
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Larry May  
Clara McAllister

## Class of '71

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Elmer Mines



Richard Mines  
Paula Neff  
Debbie Peery  
Benny Persinger



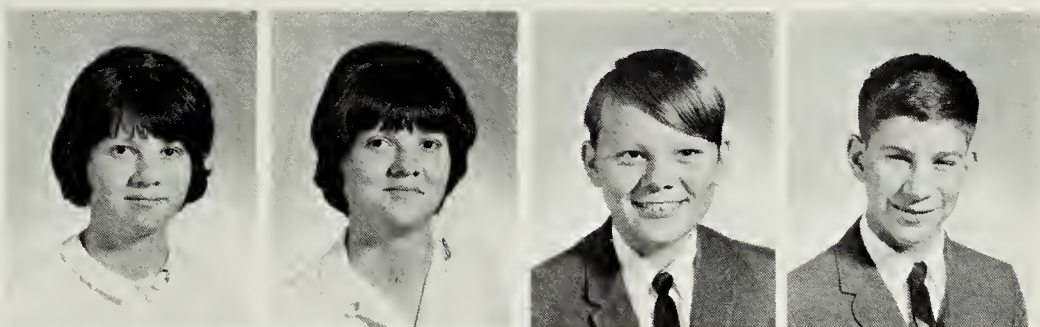
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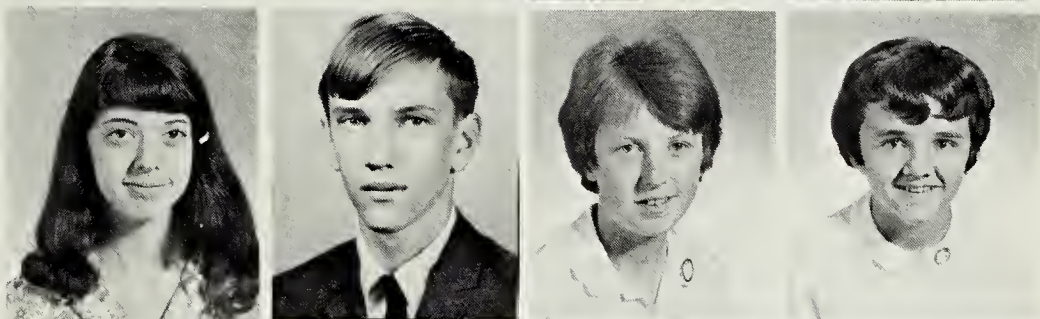


# Crystal and Becky Are Cheerleaders

Brenda Smith  
Glenda Smith  
August Snyder  
Mike Solomon



Paula Welch  
Ricky Wheeler  
Darlene Williams  
Betty Winebriner



Not pictured:  
Donald Puffenbarger

Dreama Woodzell  
Gail Woodzell  
Sandra Woodzell  
Vivian Woodzell



## Class Officers



President, Gail Woodzell; vice-president, Donald Altizer; secretary, Sally Guerrero; and treasurer, Nancy Johnston.

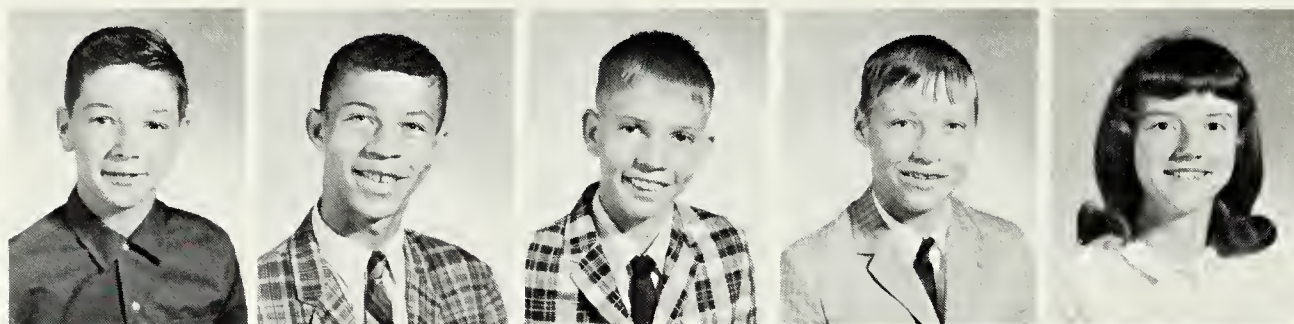
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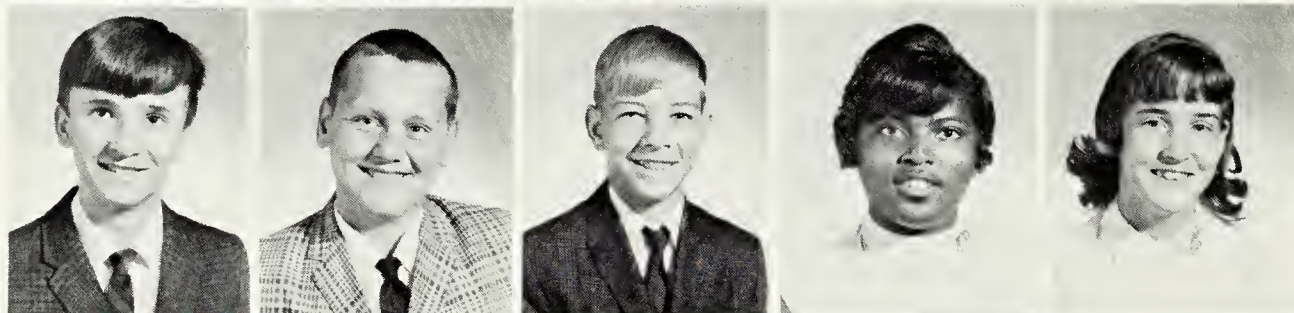
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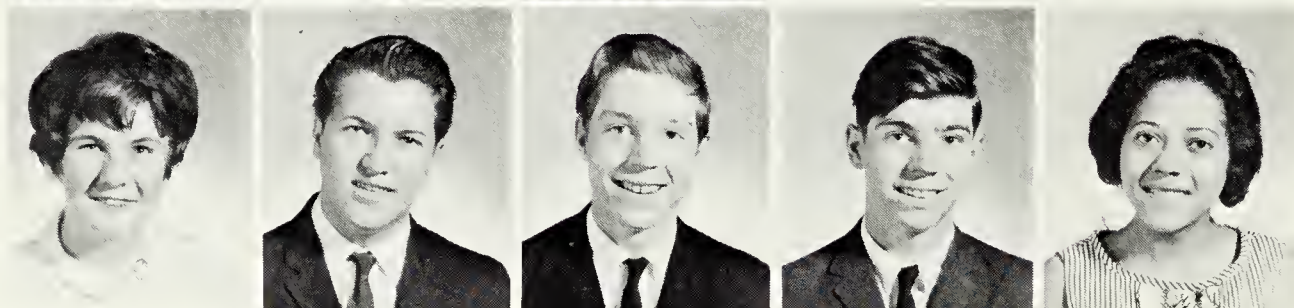
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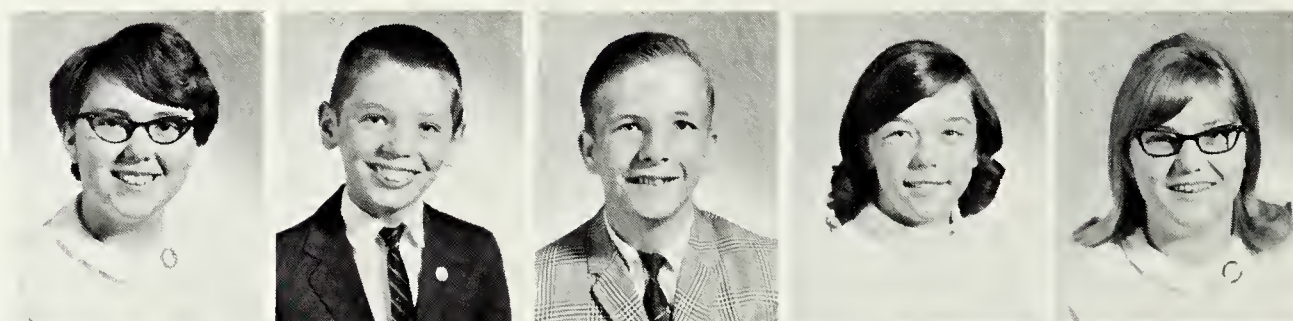


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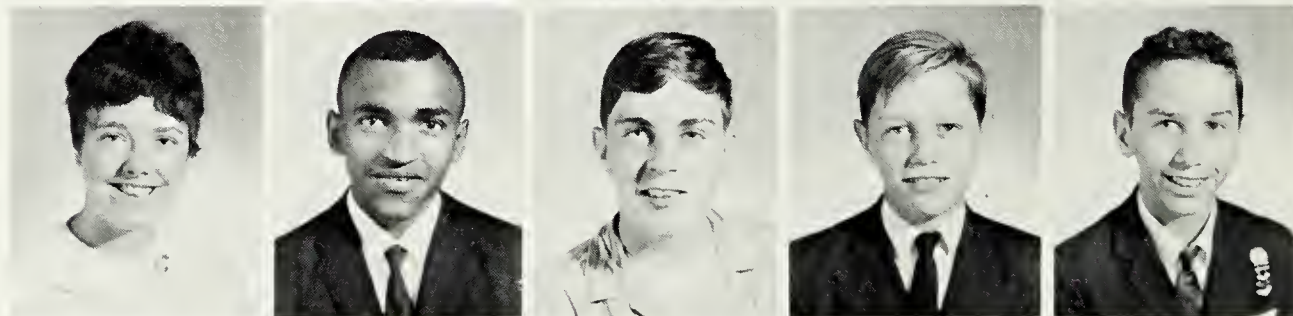


Clara Sue Cauley  
Paul Cauley  
Beckner Chaplin  
Steven Chaplin  
Sheena Church

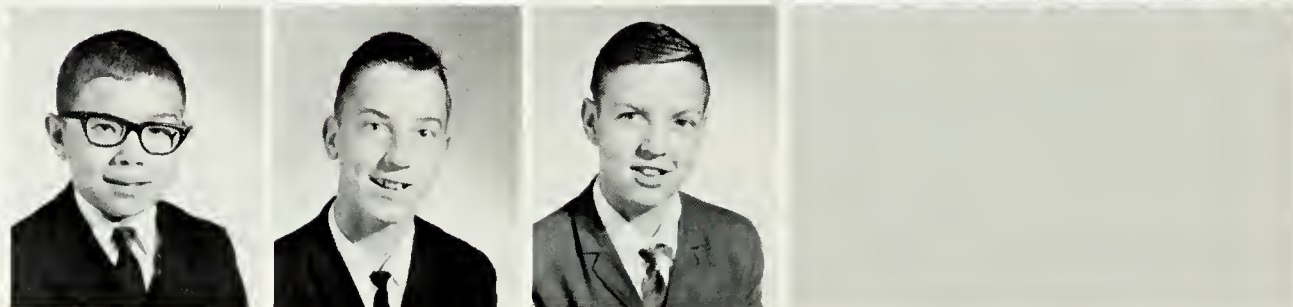
## *Class of '72*



Pam Copley  
Ray Coxe  
Richard Criser  
Karen Cutlip  
Brenda Duncan



Becky Failes  
Frank Farrington  
Danny Franklin  
Lee Fry  
Ricky Fry



David George  
Eddie George  
Ray George



# *Eighth Grade is Initiated*

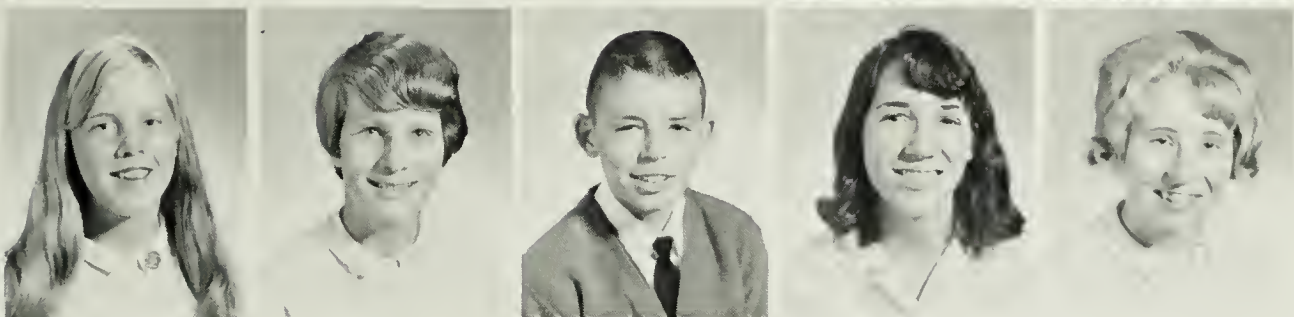
Preston Givens  
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Charlene Henry  
Jay Hiner  
William Hise



Rhonda Hoover  
Leah Hosey  
Karen Jackson  
James Johnson  
Benny Jones



Theresa Leslie  
Kathleen McCollum  
Donnie McDaniel  
Kay McDaniel  
Donna McElwee



## *Class of '72*



Mary McElwee  
Angela Mines  
James Neff  
Mary Pennington  
Steve Pennington



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Lloyd Pettus  
William Pettus  
Allen Peery  
Vicki Peery



Edward Pursley  
Deborah Rexrode  
Loretta Roberts  
Phoebe Ryder



# Mary Lou is Queen Candidate



Sheila Sharp  
Hugh Shifflett  
Patricia Shifflett  
Michael Spurgeon  
Sara Belle Stinespring

Landon Swadley  
Sharon Warwick  
Cheryl White  
Thomas Woodzell  
Gregory Wright

## Class Officers



President, R. Fry; Vice-President, Mike Burns; Secretary, Pete Givens; and Treasurer, Terry Gram.

## Class Favorites



Mike Burns and Donna McElwee





Government Class



Junior Class Concessions



Project Day

## *Valley Students at Work*

First place in Christmas Decorations



Locker troubles



F.T.A. Workers



Off to Junior Assembly



Home Economics Class



La Iniciación





English Class



Typing Class

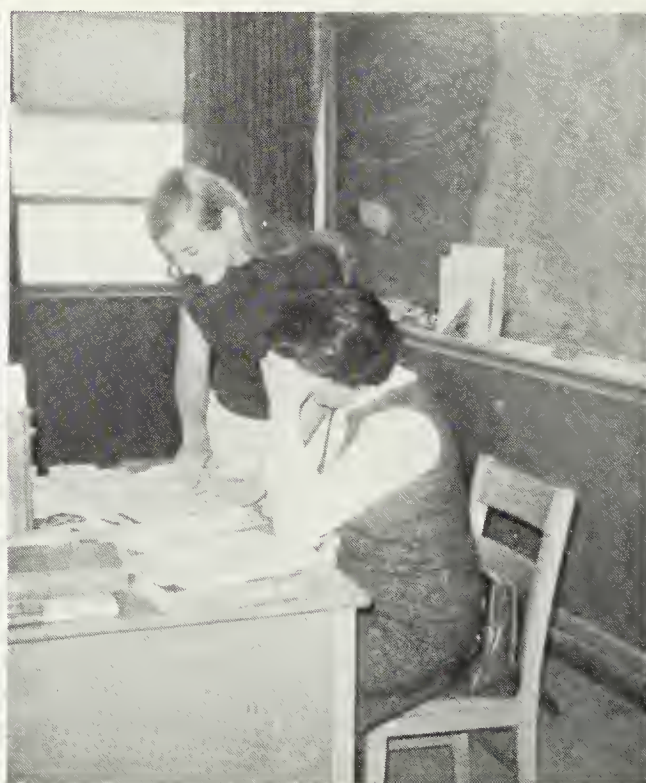


Physical Education Class

## *Valley Students at Work*



Math Class



Biology Class



Spanish Practice







May Queen — Karen Burns

# ACTIVITIES



# *Annual Staff and Beta Club*



FRONT ROW: (l. to r.) A. Rodgers, L. Bussard, J. Swadley, Miss Landes, Sponsor. SECOND ROW: P. Neff and D. Combs.



FRONT ROW: (l. to r.) D. Combs, D. Kershner, D. Dean, G. Jenkins, J. McElwee, Mrs. Cauley, Sponsor. SECOND ROW: L. Lester, K. Gram, J. Brinkley, N. Long, K. McElwee, L. Bussard, M. McCollum.



# *Glee Club and Band*



FRONT ROW: (l. to r.) Miss Roddey, Sponsor; L. Bussard, B. LaRue, J. Swadley, G. Jenkins. SECOND ROW: B. Winebriner, P. Neff, M. McCollum, P. Law, C. Johnson, T. Leslie, A. Mines. THIRD ROW: W. Jenkins, L. Fry, K. McCollum, D. Cauley, T. Gram, C. McAllister, D. Lindsay. FOURTH ROW: G. Woodzell, S. Guerrero, L. Madison, J. Strasser, B. Leslie, J. Madison, J. Dickerson, L. Neff, J. McElwee.



FRONT ROW: (l. to r.) R. Ryder, J. Pettus, R. Ryder, S. Anderson, Mr. King, Sponsor. SECOND ROW: D. George, E. Mines, B. LaRue, J. McElwee, J. Martin, D. Cauley. THIRD ROW: M. Spurgeon, S. Tate, L. May, P. Cauley, L. Madison, T. Dickerson, R. Miano, and E. George.



# *Tri-Hi-Y and Hi-Y*



FRONT ROW: (l. to r.) M. McCollum, L. Neff, G. May, C. Johnson, Mrs. Neff, Sponsor. SECOND ROW: B. Winebriner, A. Mines, B. Fry. THIRD ROW: N. Johnston, P. Law, D. McElwee, P. Neff. FOURTH ROW: V. Peery, B. LaRue, G. Woodzell, C. Johnson, and G. Jenkins.



FRONT ROW: (l. to r.) T. Dickerson, D. Casto, J. Swadley, A. Rodgers. SECOND ROW: L. Swadley, A. Snyder, B. Hinton, J. Dickerson, Mr. Grove, Sponsor. THIRD ROW: R. Mines, N. Long, J. Strasser, R. Wheeler, and B. George.



# S. C. A.



FRONT ROW: (l. to r.) Miss Herman, Sponsor, B. Winebriner, P. Law, K. Gram, D. Combs, Mrs. Mackey, Sponsor. SECOND ROW: D. Rodgers, G. May, D. Dean, R. Bird, L. Bussard, P. Welch, E. Pursley, W. Hise, C. Johnson, K. Burns. THIRD ROW: A. Rodgers, M. Buzzard, D. Hiner, J. Strasser, N. Long, K. McElwee, and J. Swadley.

## *S. C. A. Election Scenes*

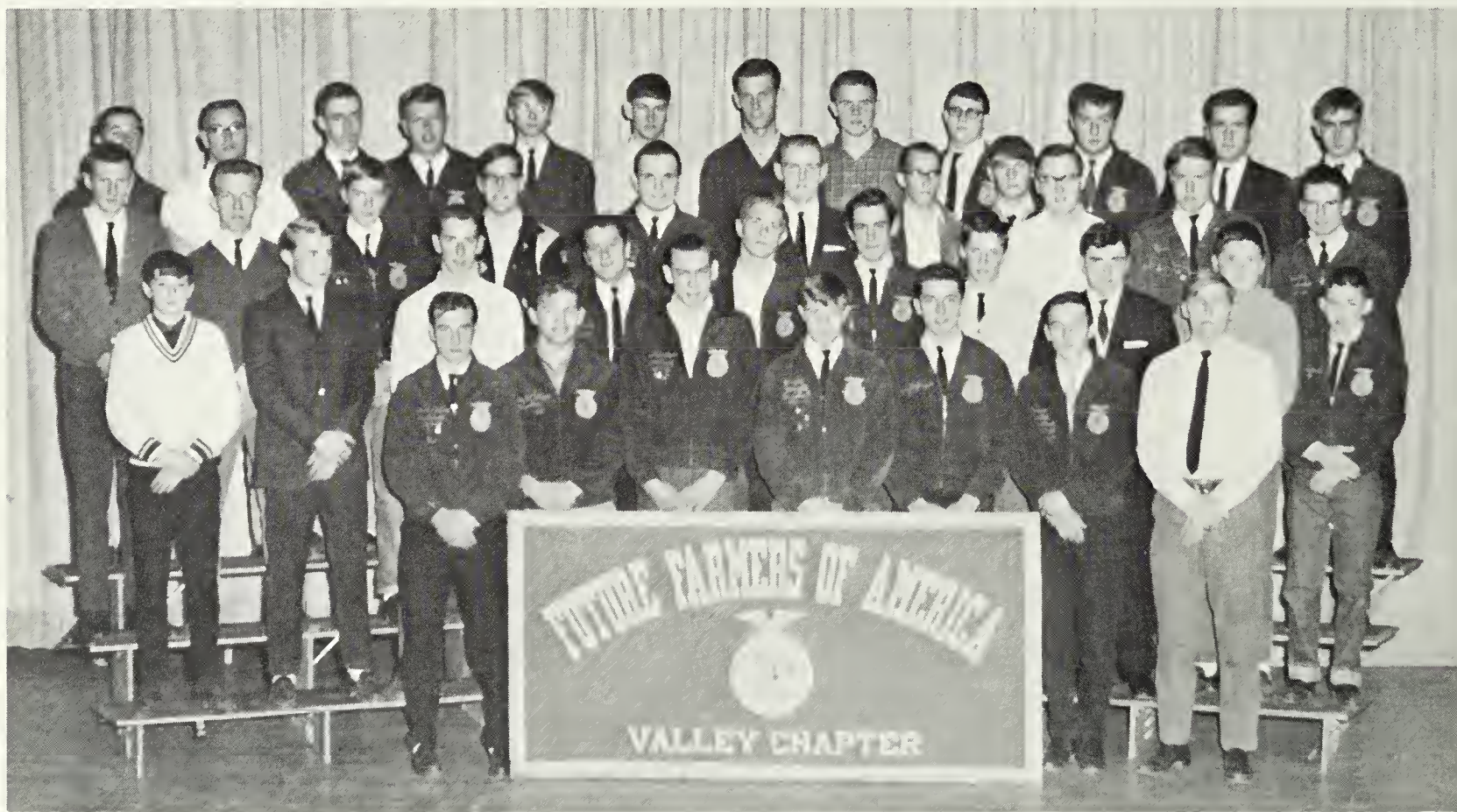




# *F.H.A. and F.F.A.*



FRONT ROW: (l. to r.) Miss Law, Sponsor, J. Bogan, P. Neff, D. Hill, L. Brinkley, J. Brinkley, G. Jenkins, J. Ryder, N. Johnston, L. Jackson, B. Keyes, R. Bird, C. McAllister. SECOND ROW: B. Fry, B. Winebriner, E. Keyser, D. Dean, J. McElwee, D. Cauley, C. Johnson, M. Brinkley, P. Warwick, S. Bowers, D. McElwee, S. Woodzell. THIRD ROW: P. Ryder, G. Martin, R. Hoover, D. McManamay, L. Hosey, S. Sharp, L. Bussard, S. Brinkley, M. Keyes, J. Agner, K. Jackson, D. Rexrode. FOURTH ROW: K. McDaniel, D. McElwee, G. Woodzell, S. Puffenbarger, D. Lindsay, C. Johnson, L. Bird, D. Bussard, M. Bird, P. Rucker, J. Bonner, E. Ryder, B. Sensabaugh, L. Lester.



FRONT ROW: (l. to r.) J. Atkins, R. Phillips, J. McComb, D. Brinkley, B. McElwee, E. Smith, Mr. Wright, Sponsor. SECOND ROW: T. Ailstock, J. Kershner, J. Shiflett, T. Keyser, D. Woodell, H. George, E. Lightner, D. Kershner, R. Martin, D. McDaniel. THIRD ROW: R. Buzzard, J. Dean, M. Lester, D. Stinespring, J. Lockridge, D. Hiner, S. Allen, D. Puffenbarger, E. Williams, C. Williams, B. Lockridge. FOURTH ROW: B. Bogan, K. Phillips, R. Neff, D. Thomas, D. Carpenter, R. Green, G. Carpenter, B. Persinger, B. Robinson, L. Martin, R. Ryder and A. Buzzard.



# *F.F.A. and F.H.A. Activities*

F.F.A. Theme — Challenging Youth in Agriculture

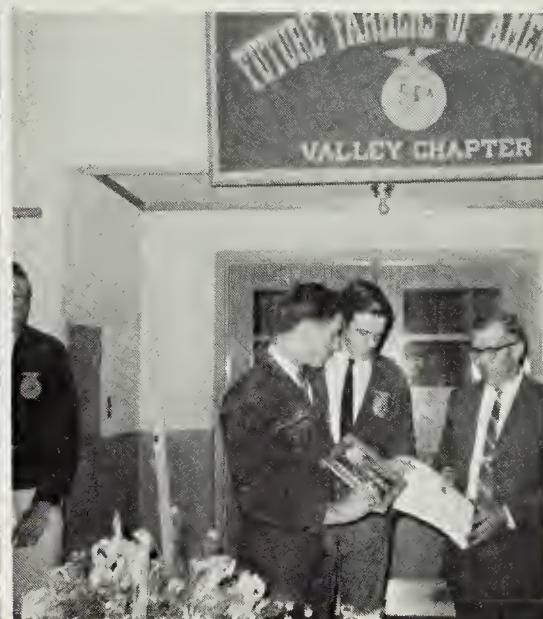
F.H.A. Theme — Citizenship Challenges You



Head Table



Father-Son Barbecue



Mr. Bogan-Honorary Chapter Farmer



Entertainment



F.F.A.-F.H.A. picnic scenes



Mother-Daughter Banquet



Senior members — L. Bussard, E. Keyser, D. Dean, J. Bogan, S. Brinkley, J. Brinkley, J. McElwee, and G. Jenkins.



# *F. T. A. and K. V. G.*



FRONT ROW: (l. to r.) Miss Landes, Sponsor, W. Winebriner, J. McElwee, J. Swadley, E. Keyser, K. Burns, D. Combs. SECOND ROW: D. Allen, S. Turner, L. Bussard, P. Rucker, A. Rodgers. THIRD ROW: S. Allen, H. Thomas, J. Ryder, and D. Cauley.



FRONT ROW: (l. to r.) J. Adkins, R. Ryder, R. Phillips, C. Cutlip, J. Strasser, J. McComb, M. Martin, A. Brinkley, B. McElwee, E. Chaplin, T. Ailstock, Mr. Wright, Sponsor. SECOND ROW: L. Madison, W. Jenkins, B. Chaplin, J. Kershner, J. Shifflett, T. Keyser, D. Wooddell, H. George, E. Lightner, D. Kershner, R. Martin, D. McDaniel. THIRD ROW: J. Pettus, R. Miano, R. Buzzard, M. Lester, D. Stinespring, J. Lockridge, D. Hiner, S. Allen, E. Williams, C. Williams, B. Lockridge. FOURTH ROW: J. Hudson, K. Phillips, R. Neff, D. Thomas, D. Carpenter, R. Green, B. Persinger, B. Robinson, L. Martin, R. Ryder and A. Buzzard.





## *Homecoming—1967*

L. TO R.: M. Pennington, M. Burns, M. Brinkley, E. Johnson, W. Winebriner, A. Rodgers, D. Hiner, Queen D. Dean, R. Ryder, L. Neff, N. Long.



Mary Pennington



Wanda Winebriner



Lynda Neff



Dotty Dean

## *Homecoming Scenes*





# May Day

Queen — Karen Burns

King — Basil McElwee

Princess — Dusty Hill

Prince — Keith McElwee

Attendants - N. Long, R. Bird; D. May, S. Brinkley; J. Kershner, J. Bogan; B. Gram, L. Brinkley; E. Lightner, K. May; M. Buzzard, W. Winebriner; D. Altizer, B. Fry; M. Burns, D. McElwee; E. Pursley, V. Peery; D. Casto, B. Smith; P. Cauley, R. Hoover.







## *"A King is Born"*

The Hi-Y and Tri-Hi-Y Clubs presented the annual Christmas Pageant. Mary-Margaret McCollum; Joseph-Nelson Long; Angels – A. Mines, V. Peery, D. McElwee, C. Johnson, G. Woodzell; Innkeeper – A. Snyder; King-T. Dickerson; Shepherds–R. Wheeler, L. Swadley, J. Dickerson; Wisemen – R. Mines, B. George, B. Hinton; Prophets – A. Rodgers, D. Casto; Narrators – G. May, P. Copley; Chorus.





# *"Sweetheart Ball"*

The Sweetheart Ball, sponsored by the F.H.A. Club and the F.F.A. Club, was held on March 6, in the school cafeteria.

The Royalty of the party was Queen, Donna Bussard; King, Johnny Kershner; Princess, Jo Ann Brinkley; Prince, Basil McElwee. Attendants were Mary Sue Brinkley, Dewey Brinkley, Sandra Brinkley, and Frankie Rexrode.



Donna was Queen.

Miss Law crowns Johnny.



Clifford and Martha

F.H.A. members and guests



Refreshment line

Chapter mothers, Mrs. Ryder and Mrs. Fry



Refreshments







THE ROYALTY — (l. to r.) D. Brinkley, Prince; K. Gram, Queen; Mr. O'Dell, R. Ryder, King; and D. Bussard, Princess.

# *Banquet and Prom*

## *"Some Enchanted Evening"*

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Sixth of April  
Half After Seven  
In the Evening  
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## *Senior Trip*

### ITINERARY

1. Rockefeller Center
2. Greenwich Village
3. Wall Street
4. Chinatown
5. Stock Exchange
6. Madison Square Gardens
7. Empire State Building
8. United Nations Building
9. Allied Chemical Building
10. Hayden Planetarium
11. American Museum of Natural History
12. "Happy Time"
13. Bitter End
14. Radio City Music Hall
15. Merv Griffin Show
16. Manhattan Cruise





# Graduation 1968

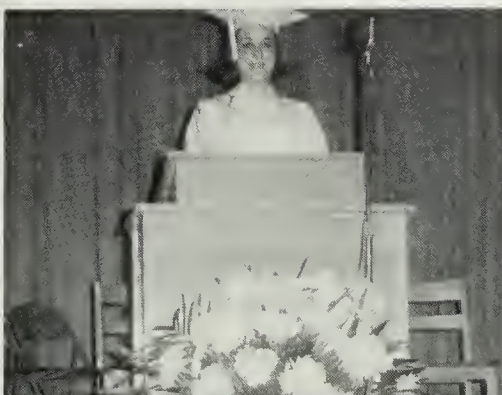


FIRST ROW: (l. to r.) R. Miano, D. Kershner, D. Dean, G. Jenkins, K. Gram, L. Bussard, J. Brinkley, M. McCollum, J. McElwee, D. May, T. Stewart. SECOND ROW: J. Swadley, M. Lester, K. Burns, S. Allen, J. Armstrong, S. Brinkley, E. Keyser, J. Bogan, J. Kershner, D. Brinkley. THIRD ROW: M. Hill, M. Martin, H. Thomas, J. Martin, C. Johnson, E. Chestnut, K. Phillips, J. Lockridge. FOURTH ROW: R. Buzzard, S. Tate, J. Hudson, H. George, D. Stinespring, R. Ryder, D. Hiner. FIFTH ROW: C. Cutlip, S. Allen, B. McElwee. MASCOTS: R. Jenkins, and K. McElwee. (Not pictured are S. Anderson, J. McComb, and J. Shaffier).

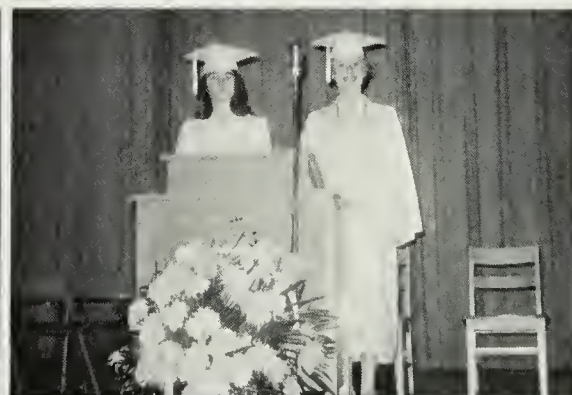
## Class Night



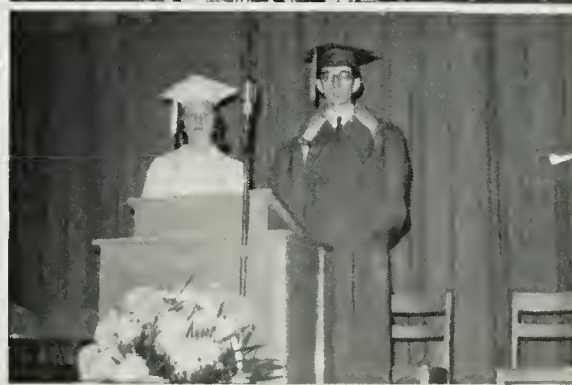
Lonnie caps Ray  
Becky caps JoAnn



History-Margaret McCollum  
Prophecy-Dallas May and  
Kathy Gram



Will-Carole Johnson and  
LaDonna Bussard  
Gifts-JoAnn Brinkley and  
Joe Swadley







Guests arriving



Sponsors, Mrs. Neff and Mr. Grove



Organist, Miss Roddey

## *Baccalaureate and Commencement* *Sunday June 2, 1968 and Monday, June 3*



Message to the seniors – The Reverend Mr. Joseph Crosier Invocation and Benediction – Reverend Mr. John Durkovich Com-



mencement Address – Mr. James Laughlin, Supt., Covington Schools Invocation and Benediction – Mr. Ernest Worrell



Valedictorian – Dotty Dean



Mr. O'Dell presents diplomas.



Salutatorian – Glenda Jenkins





# SPORTS



# Football



FRONT ROW: (l. to r.) L. May, C. Cutlip, D. Brinkley, B. Merchant, R. Ryder, R. Phillips, M. Martin, D. Snyder, J. Strasser, M. Solomon. SECOND ROW: R. Mines, B. Hinton, L. Madison, J. Madison, S. Allen, F. Rexrode, R. Tate, R. Fertig, J. Hudson, and B. George.

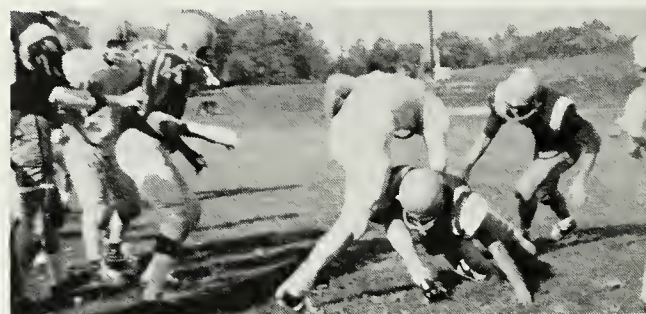


Coach Adrian

## SCHEDULE

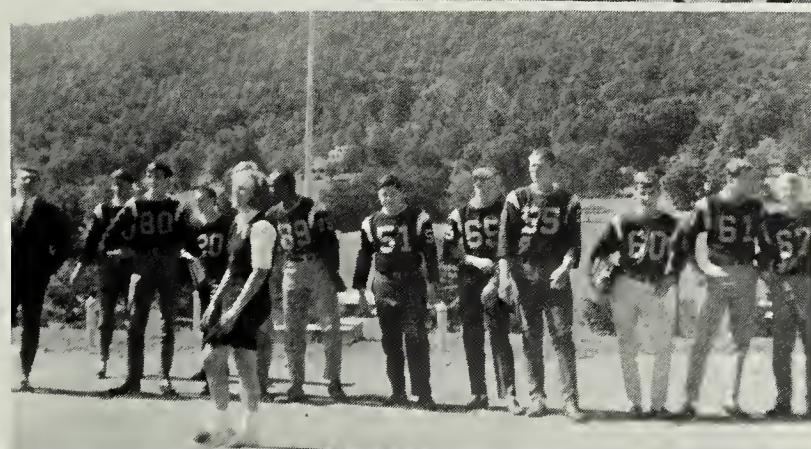
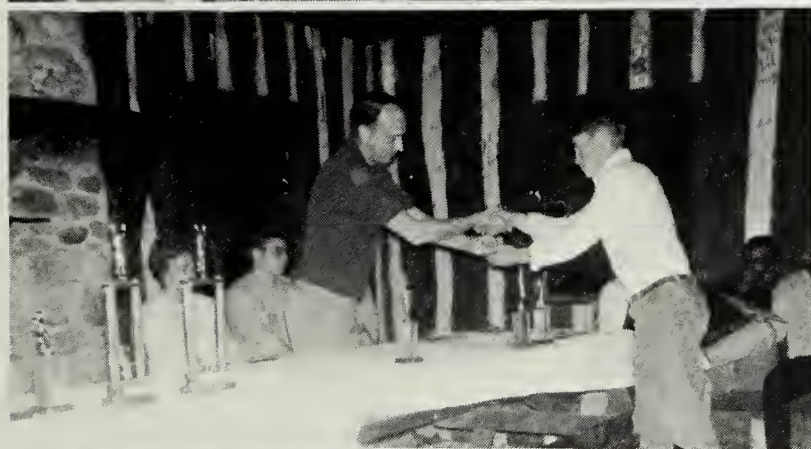
Valley	3	Alleghany	6
Valley	13	Buffalo Gap	20
Valley	0	James River	39
Valley	7	Greenbank	18
Valley	7	Franklin	6
Valley	6	G.M.S.	12
Valley	24	V.S.D.B.	0
Valley	6	Riverheads	20
Valley	14	Marlinton	67

Mr. Andy Adrian, Coach Mr. Sidney Grove and Mr. Bruce Wright, Assistant Coaches





## *Sports Snapshots*



FROM TOP TO BOTTOM: B. Fry, C. Johnson, K. Gram, P. Law, J. Bonner, C. Johnson, and J. Brinkley.

## *Cheerleaders of 1967-1968*



# *Golf and Track*



GOLF TEAM – Left to Right, N. Long, K. McElwee, R. Ryder, J. Kershner, J. Strasser, J. Carpenter, E. Chaplin.  
Coach – Buddy Cauley    Record – 10 wins, 2 losses; 3rd in State Tournament



TRACK TEAM – FRONT ROW, left to right, J. Madison, M. Lester, D. Kershner, A. Snyder, R. Neff; BACK ROW – R. Merchant, C. Cutlip, G. McMullen, F. Rexrode, B. Persinger, J. Bruce.  
Coach – Bruce Wright    Record – Second in District O



# Girls' Basketball



FRONT ROW: (l. to r.) L. Brinkley, D. Cauley, G. May, W. Winebriner, J. McElwee, D. Dean, J. Ryder. SECOND ROW: K. Keyser, D. McElwee, D. Jones, E. Ryder, C. McAllister, L. Neff, D. Buzzard, S. Puffenbarger, P. Rucker, K. Burns, and M. Brinkley.

## SCHEDULE

Valley	34	James River	23
Valley	35	Millboro	37
Valley	41	Independents	20
Valley	51	Clifton Forge	46
Valley	35	Alleghany	17
Valley	27	James River	23
Valley	44	Millboro	42
Valley	52	Independents	25
Valley	55	Clifton Forge	35
Valley	38	Alleghany	19

Coach — Mrs. Jean Stinnett





# *J. V. and Eighth Grade Basketball*



FIRST ROW: (l. to r.) R. Fertig, L. May, J. Green, R. Tate. SECOND ROW: G. Martin, R. Mines, D. Altizer, D. Puffenbarger, M. Solomon, R. Wheeler, Coach, Mr. Adrian.



FIRST ROW: (l. to r.) C. Shaffier, M. Burns, D. Bryant, W. Hise, D. Black. SECOND ROW: Mr. White, Coach, D. Criser, E. Pursley, B. Chaplin, F. Farrington, P. Cauley, A. Peery, and M. Spurgeon.



# Varsity Basketball



FRONT ROW: (l. to r.) J. Kershner, G. McMullen, F. Rexrode, R. Neff, D. May, and L. Madison. SECOND ROW: J. Bruce, J. Strasser, R. Ryder, K. McElwee, N. Long, and R. Smith.

## SCHEDULE

Valley	74	Riverheads	61
Valley	52	Buffalo Gap	53
Valley	67	Boys' Home	55
Valley	56	Millboro	38
Valley	74	Fort Defiance	95
Valley	68	V.S.D.B.	51
Valley	55	Highland	44
Valley	66	G.M.S.	71
Valley	54	V.S.D.B.	56
Valley	59	Riverheads	67
Valley	58	Marlinton	90
Valley	59	G.M.S.	47
Valley	64	Millboro	71
Valley	62	Highland	26
Valley	65	New Castle	37
Valley	62	New Castle	34
Valley	62	Boys' Home	46
Valley	44	Buffalo Gap	68



Ricky receives his trophy.

## TOURNAMENT GAMES

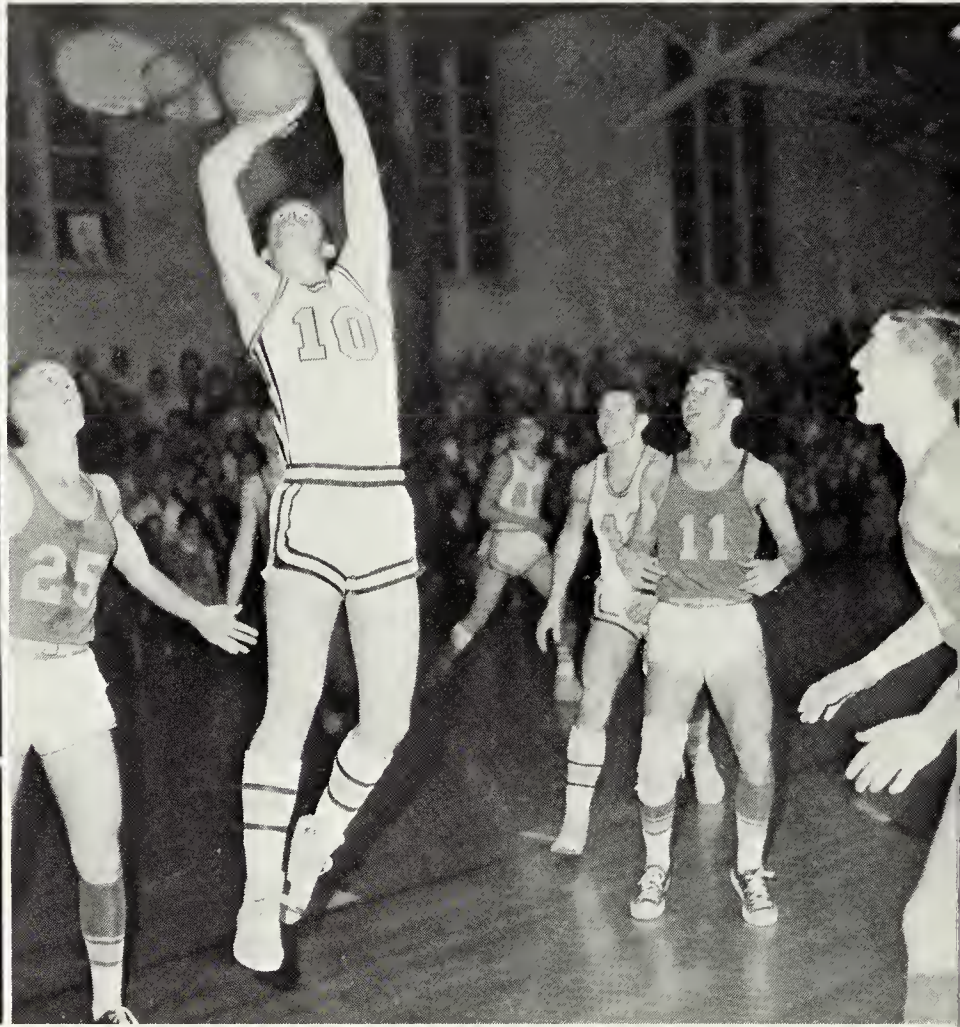
Valley	48	Highland	38
Valley	49	Millboro	34
Valley	48	Hardin Reynolds	63



Nelson scrambles for the ball.



# Varsity Action



1967-1968 All District Team



Coach Cauley



(l. to r.) J. Olinger, F. Rexrode, K. McElwee, R. Ryder, J. B. Hull and J. Loan.



# Baseball



SEATED, left to right, B. Hinton, E. Johnson, R. Mines, D. Rodgers, L. May, C. Cutlip, R. Martin, D. May; STANDING, left to right, B. George, W. Jenkins, F. Rexrode, T. Dickerson, J. Bruce, M. Martin, J. Hudson, Manager, A. Adrian, Coach.

## SCHEDULE

Valley	3	G.M.S.	16
Valley	1	Millboro	3
Valley	8	New Castle	1
Valley	14	V.S.D.B.	11
Valley	4	Boys' Home	24
Valley	1	Highland	11
Valley	5	New Castle	6
Valley	6	Millboro	11
Valley	0 (Forfeit)	Highland	1
Valley	0	G.M.S.	24
Valley	8	V.S.D.B.	11
Valley	7	Boys' Home	10

## PLAYOFF

Valley	15	V.S.D.B.	0
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## TOURNAMENT

Valley	10	Millboro	2
Valley	6	New Castle	5

District O Champions





# Special Achievement Awards



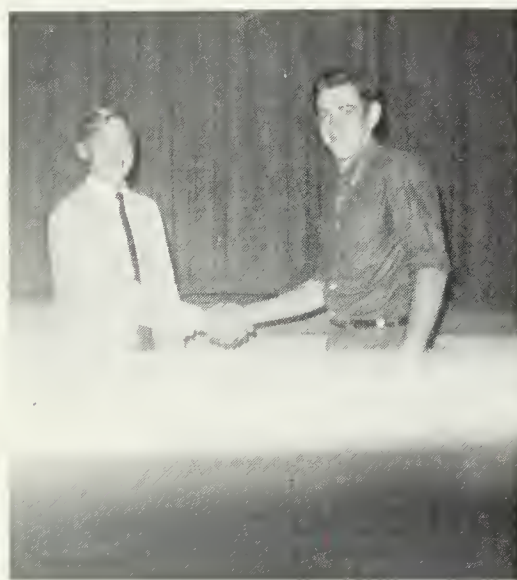
Social Studies — Miss Herman  
Joyce McElwee  
Joe Swadley



Math — Mrs. Neff  
Glenda Jenkins



Science — Mrs. Mackey  
Dotty Dean



Agriculture — Mr. Wright  
Howard George



Spanish — Miss Landes  
Dotty Dean  
Joe Swadley

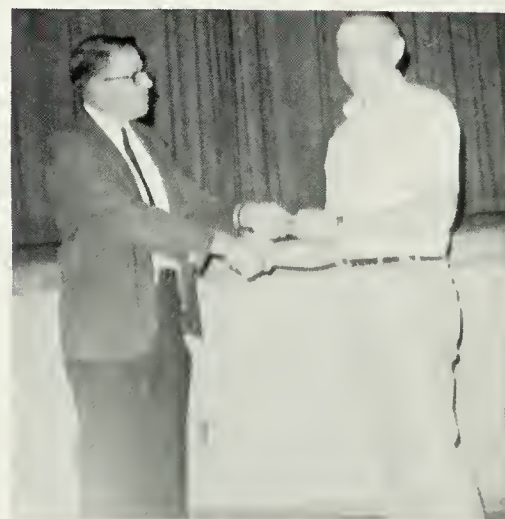


Music — Mr. King  
Rodney Miano  
Joyce McElwee



## OTHER AWARDS

Industrial Arts — Johnny Kershner  
Home Economics — Julia Bogan — Senior Award  
Glenda Jenkins — F.H.A. Award  
JoAnn Brinkley — F.H.A., Home Ec.  
Girls' Athletic Award — Dotty Dean, Joyce McElwee  
English Award — Joe Swadley, Margaret McCollum  
Boys' Athletic Award — Dallas May  
Commercial Award — Ladonna Bussard



Citizenship — Mr. O'Dell  
Darrell Hiner





Star Farmer — Howard George



Public Speaking — David Kershner



DeKalb Award — Michael Lester



OUTSTANDING ATHLETES (l. to r.) C. Cutlip, F. Rexrode, R. Ryder, D. May and G. May.



Tri-Hi-Y Plaque for five consecutive Ace Awards — L. Neff, G. May, C. Johnson, and Mrs. Neff.

#### OTHER AWARDS

Joe Swadley — First place — District O  
prose reading

Sam Tate — Second place — District O  
poetry reading

Dotty Dean — 1968 Homestead Scholarship



Forestry Judging Team — H. George, M. Lester, J. Kershner and Mr. Wright.  
Federation — First Place; Area-Second place.





Delegates with Chuck Beale



Keswick and Miss Herman???



F.T.A. Banquet



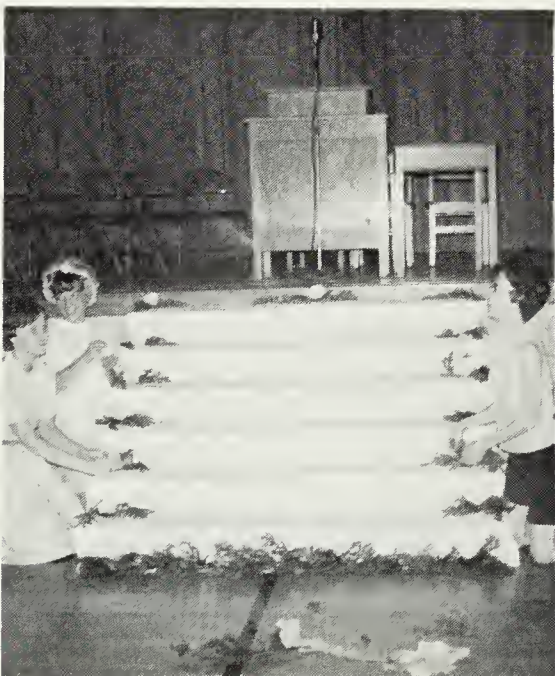
Sophomore Rally



Hi-Y Initiation



Beauty Pageant



Graduation preparation



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Kathy and Kes decorate for Christmas dance.





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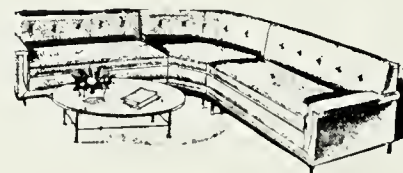
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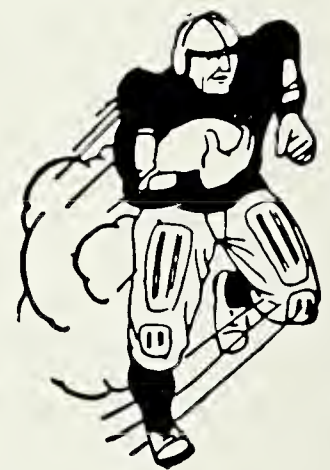
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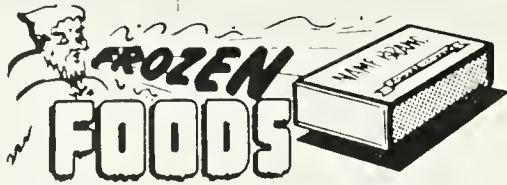


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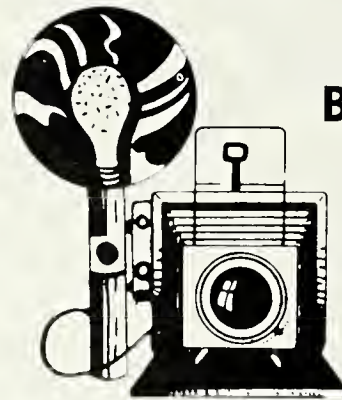
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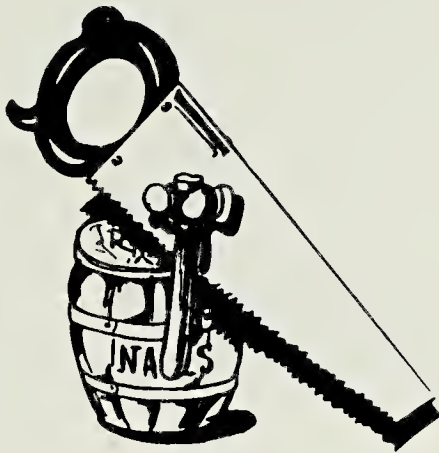
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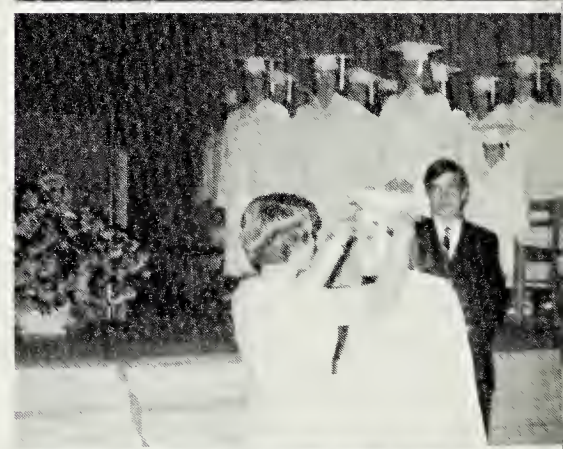
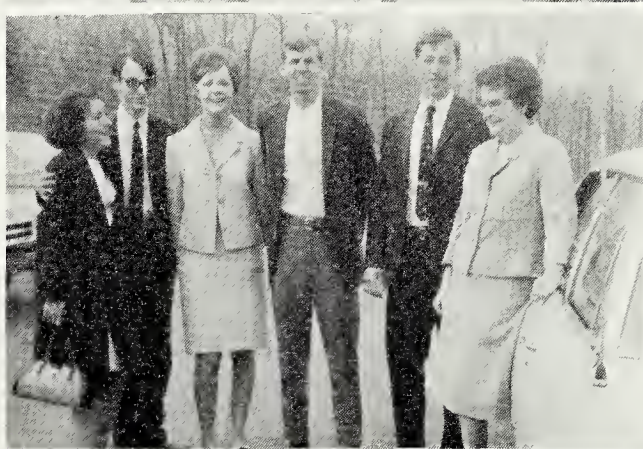


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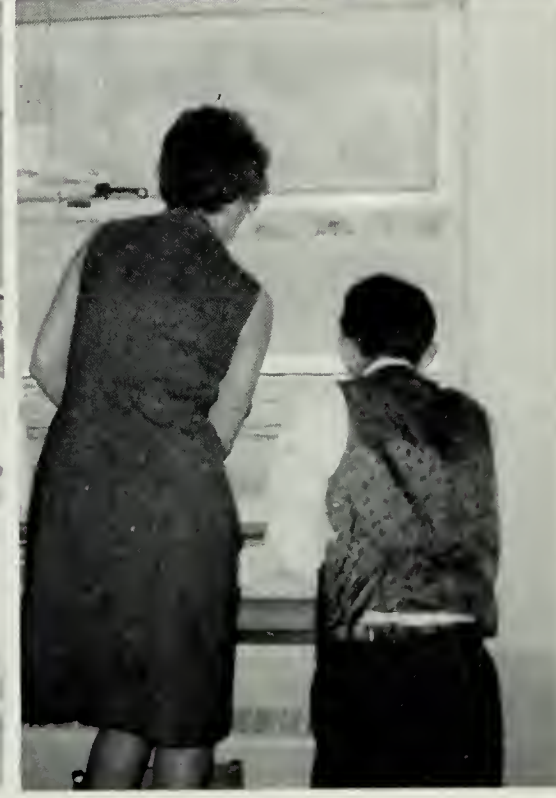
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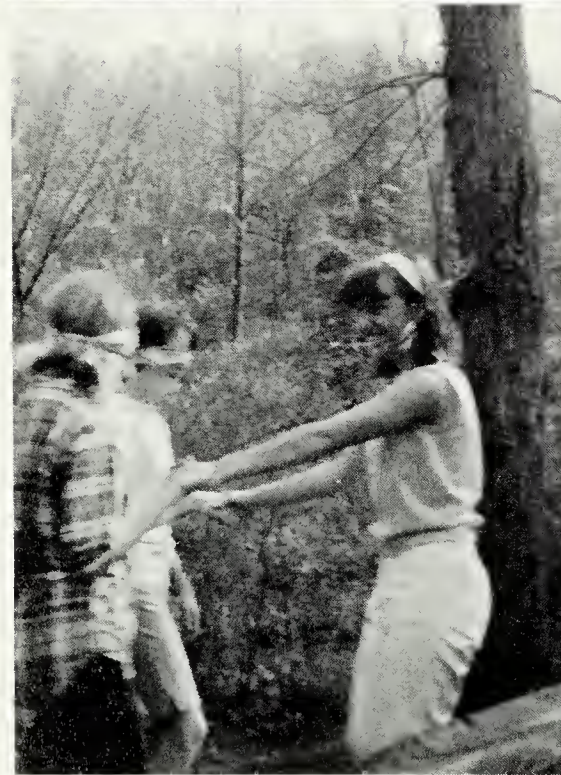
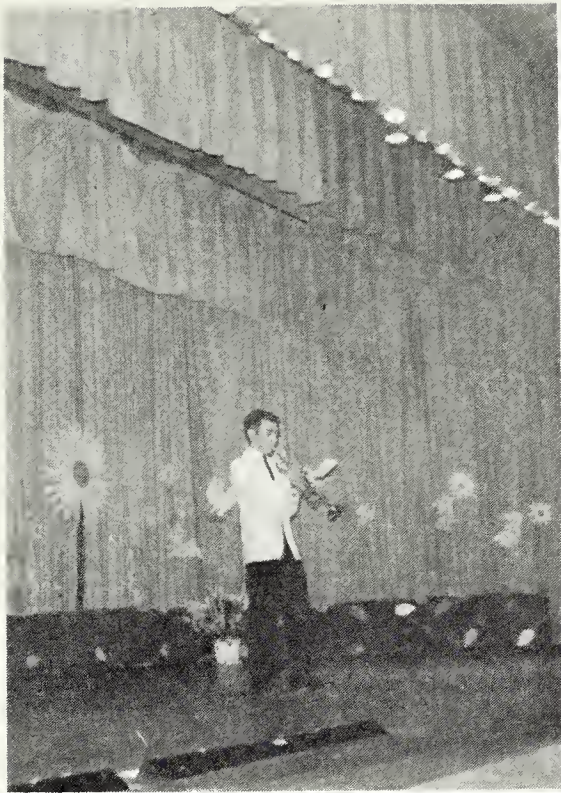












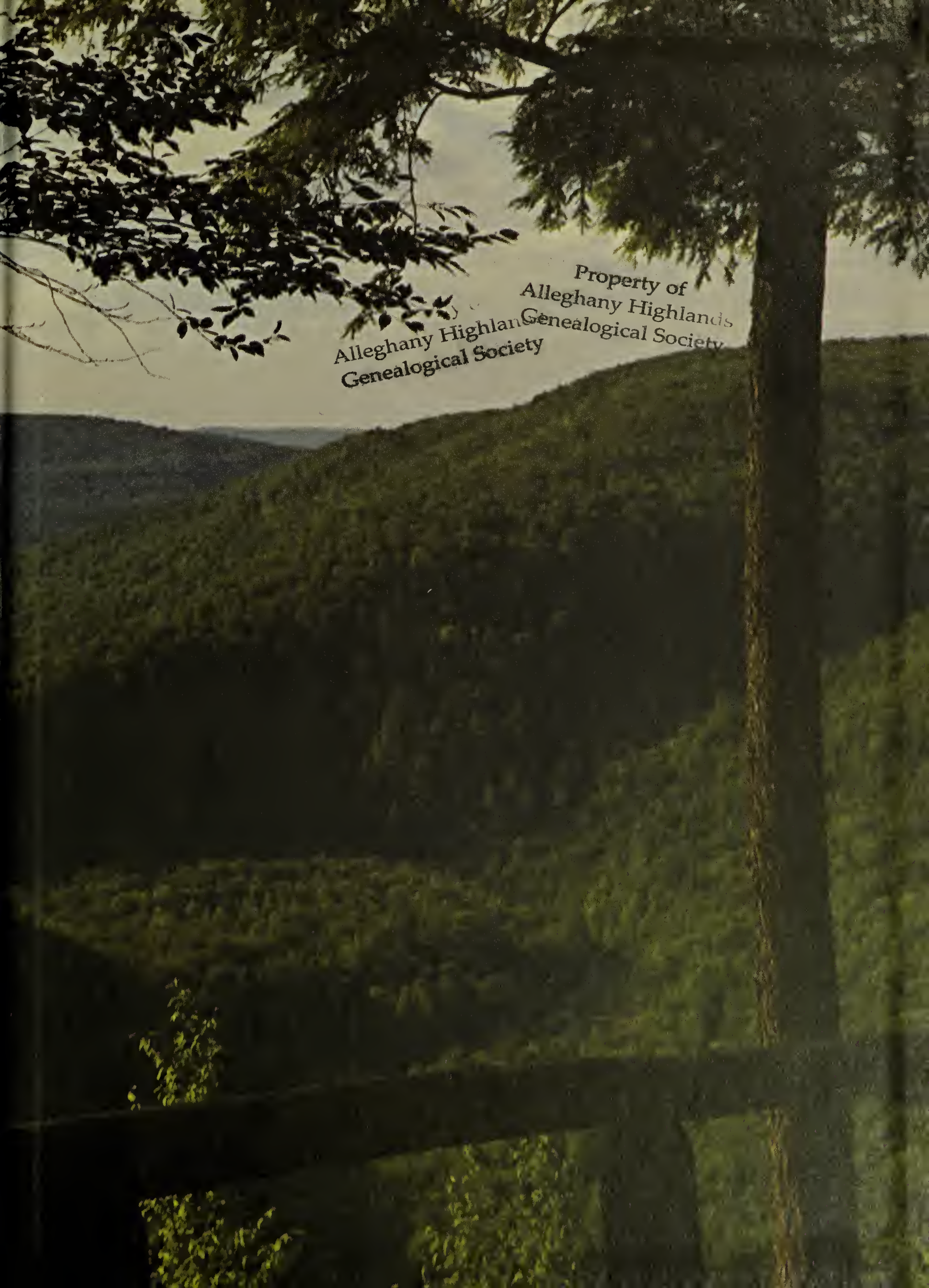










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